

## CHINA WINS IMPORTANT POINT IN FAR EAST; POWERS AGREE TO QUIT LEASED TERRITORIES

### Arbuckle Jury Said To Stand 9-3 For Acquittal

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., December 3.—The jury in the manslaughter trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle was given a two hour lunch recess at 12 o'clock after having failed to reach a verdict in six and one-quarter hours of actual deliberations. The jury retired at 4:15 p. m. last evening.

Judge Harold Lenderbach, the trial judge, after calling his regular calendar, announced that he was going to leave the building and would not return unless the jury wanted him. The crowd grew larger as the morning progressed and the court room filled gradually. The spectators changed from that of early today which was that the jury was 11 to 1 for acquittal. Toward noon the figure was changed in the corridor gossip to 3 for conviction and nine for acquittal. Gavin McNab, chief defense counsel, said he "did not expect the tail would swing the dog."

The prosecution was silent.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 3.—The jury considering the evidence submitted in the trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, returned to the jury room from its hotel at 10 o'clock this morning.

The jury appeared refreshed after a night's rest, which began at 11 o'clock last night after it had failed to agree on a verdict in four and a quarter hours' deliberation. Reports that it was divided eleven to one for acquittal persisted today, but there was nothing to give any great amount of tangibility to this report. Corridor gossip said that one woman was holding out for conviction. Arbuckle appeared a few minutes before ten o'clock wearing a thick black overcoat. He did not have the fingered look that he carried away with him last night. He chatted with newspaper men and others in an apparently care-free manner.

Mrs. Ramintha Maule Delmont, complaining witness against Arbuckle was arrested yesterday on a charge of bigamy. The warrant was sworn to in Miami county, but its serving had been held up until after the evidence had been introduced in the Arbuckle trial.

Show Girls Testified

The Arbuckle trial started November 11 and a week was spent in selection of the jury. The main witnesses for the prosecution were Zoh Drevost and Alice Blake, show girls; E. O. Heinrich, finger print expert, and a number of physicians and nurses. The medical experts testified internal injuries such as caused Miss Rappe's death usually resulted from the application of external force.

The prosecution contended that the injury was the result of an attempt by Arbuckle to attack Miss Rappe during a party in his hotel room during the afternoon of September 5.

Had Bladder Irritation

A technical examination by a medical commission of three appointed by the court to examine Miss Rappe's bladder, showed that a condition of chronic inflammation existed, according to the report by the commission to the court and jury. Gavin McNab, defense attorney, declared the report "absolutely corroborated" the deposition of Dr. Maurice Rosenberg, who treated Miss Rappe, supposedly for a bladder disorder, in 1913.

Finger prints on the doors of Arbuckle's room were said by Heinrich

**HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS**  
By J. R. Alley

THE OLD 'OMAN JES' NACHLY  
NOT T' STOP DAT WEARIN'  
DE WHITE LADIES' CLOES 'FO  
DE WASH 'EM, ER ELSE  
AKE DE WASHIN' HOME  
PER-SEE--AH'S GITTIN'  
WASHED KETCHIN' FITS ON  
TUNT HER FOOLSHNESS!



#### Arms Conference Beauty



One topic of international interest at the arms parley at Washington is: "Who's the most beautiful woman at the conference?" That honor generally goes to Mme. H. M. Van Haersma De With, wife of a Dutch representative.

### MURDER SUSPECT CAPTURED IN ITALY

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Vittorio Pisselli, who is said to have stabbed to death Daniel Rober, wealthy Lakewood publisher, two years ago, has been captured in Riphimans, Italy, according to word received here from two Cleveland detectives. He is being held there pending word from the Italian ambassador at Washington.

Assistant County Prosecutor Walter J. Krowson is on route today to Washington to present the facts to the ambassador.

As there is no extradition treaty between the United States and Italy for capital offenses, Pisselli probably will be tried in that country. In that event the detectives will remain there and testify against him. In four other instances recently, Italy has refused to send murderers back to this country.

Pisselli is the last of six alleged conspirators in the Rober murder plot to be arrested. According to an alleged confession of Salvatore Cala, who is serving a life term for implication in the plot, Pisselli stabbed Rober while Cala held the victim. They were to have been paid \$5,000 by Mrs. Rober, Catherine Rober, the slain man's widow, who also was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment.

### New Style Of Marriage Announcement

NEW YORK, December 3.—Society reporters striving to depart from the stereotyped form of marriage announcements might take a lesson from the editor of the Daily Voice Bulletin. Recently Mrs. Isabelle Goodwin, the only woman member on the force to hold the rank of detective, first grade, married Oscar A. Seaborn. The Bulletin records the event as follows:

"Change in name:  
"Acting Detective Sergeant, First Grade.  
"Isabelle Goodwin, Shield No. 279, Detective Vision, has changed her social condition and is now known as Isabelle Seaborn, to take effect October 27, 1921. The records of the police department of the city of New York will be changed accordingly."

### Cut Wage Of New York Shoeworkers

NEW YORK, December 3.—An immediate cut of ten per cent in the wages of 12,000 New York city shoeworkers and additional cuts of from one to five per cent to take effect May 1, 1922, were announced today by the board of arbitration chosen by the American Shoe Workers' Protective Union and the Shoe Manufacturers' Board of Trade of Greater New York.

The immediate reduction would mean a saving of \$800,000 labor cost to forty employing firms which have an annual pay roll exceeding \$9,000,000.

### MORSE IS DENIED RIGHT TO LAND IN FRANCE

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 3.—Charles W. Morse, shipbuilder and financier, who arrived yesterday at Havre was directed by Attorney General Daugherty today to sail Monday from Havre back to the United States.

The attorney general at the same time sent a cablegram to the American embassy at Paris requesting that steps be taken to bring about the return of Morse on the steamer Paris, sailing from Havre Monday.

PARIS, December 3.—(By the Associated Press)—The French ministry of the interior today issued an order denying Charles W. Morse the right to land in France and requiring him to return to the United States on the first available steamer, which would be the Paris, sailing Monday from Havre.

The representatives in the case made by the American embassy were regarded by the interior department as ample reason for its action. Ordinarily the case would require protracted negotiations, occupying probably two or three weeks.

The embassy called the Washington authorities that in view of the interior department's action, Mr. Morse could be expected to arrive at New York aboard the Paris on that liner's next trip.

HAVRE, December 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Charles W. Morse, American financier, called General Daugherty today asking permission to delay his departure for the United States until the sailing of the steamship, George Washington on January 7.

Mr. Morse was detained by the French authorities on his arrival here yesterday morning at the request of the American consulate. It was stated his presence in Washington was desired in connection with investigation of his transactions with the United States shipping board.

Attorney General Daugherty last night sent a cablegram to Mr. Morse at Havre, which read: "Desired you return immediately. Take first boat."

Previous dispatches from Havre had intimated that Mr. Morse would return on the liner Paris, on which he made his voyage to France.

Mr. Morse in today's message asked permission to consult Professor Ettore Marchisiani, of Rome, consulting physician to the late Pope Pius, in regard to a necessary operation.

He expressed disbelief in the reports that he had been indicted.

"The report of my indictment in connection with the Tunis ship deal," he told the correspondent, "must be unfounded, as I was indicted on that charge more than a year ago in New York state and the indictment was quashed at the request of the shipping board."

Mr. Morse was indicted May 3, 1920, on a charge that through an agent he had sold the steamer John G. McCullough to the government of Tunis in violation of the law prescribing sale of a ship registered under the American laws to any one not a citizen of the United States without the shipping board's permission.

"Concerning the reports of an indictment charging padding of pay rolls of our Grotton, Connecticut, shipyard, this is also impossible, as full investigation was made by government officials."

NEW YORK, December 3.—The tank steamer Santa Rita, which sailed from New Orleans, October 20, for Spezia, Italy, today was reported 18 days overdue. She carries a crew of about forty men.

### SAVE GIRL BY KILLING INFANT BY HYPNOTISM



BERNICE REDICK, DUAL PERSONALITY VICTIM

By NEA Service

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—The scientific world is deeply interested in the killing of forty-year-old Polly Redick to save 10-year-old Bernice Redick.

"The killing is being done by Dr. H. H. Goddard.

"The executioner is using hypnotism. Polly Redick and Bernice Redick have occupied the same body. This is what the scientists call dual personality. "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" is a celebrated case in fiction. In real life there are only 25 or so scientifically authenticated cases.

Miss Redick was formerly a high school girl at Lisbon, O. Her strange actions came to the notice of the juvenile court at Cleveland. She was sent to the State Bureau of Juvenile Research.

"We found that Bernice Redick was a normal girl of 10, able to do clerical work of a high order," says Dr. Goddard, chief of the bureau. "But when Polly Redick took possession of her body, she was a typical infant of four, with an infant's mind."

Bernice would lie down to rest, and Polly would wake up.

Bernice had no recollection of Polly and of course Polly had no recollection of Bernice.

"I have used hypnotism to cure Miss Redick," says Dr. Goddard, "and my efforts have been very successful.

"When I am through Polly Redick will be as dead as if an electric current had passed through her body, and Bernice Redick will be a healthy, wholesome, capable girl."

### GRADUAL IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS

CLEVELAND, O., December 3.—While there is a gradual improvement in business, a majority of reports "do not shape up quite so well as they did last month," according to the monthly business review for November, issued today by the Fourth Federal Reserve Bank.

"The point of view that business would require only a short time to get on its feet is disappearing," the report states. "Naturally the 'hand to mouth' policy is still much in evidence.

"A lot of cobblestones in the path of business could well be pointed out. Some of them are in a fair way to be permanently removed, but a big one which is still in the road is the comparative position of the farmer and the city men at the present time. The gears between the farm and the city are not meshing properly.

"Failure of recent expectations of a substantial reduction of freight rates to be put into effect promptly has caused much disappointment in the iron and steel industry.

"The solid improvement which follows real liquidation continues in the rubber industry. Production continues around 70 per cent of the July-August peak.

A decided improvement is seen in the window glass business, the state-month continues, while plate glass companies are operating 75 to 80 per cent of their capacity. A fair amount of retail coal business is reported.

CINCINNATI, O., December 3.—Union plumbers in Cincinnati today notified their employers that they would go on strike Monday morning.

### PACKERS' WORKERS IGNORE COURT

KANSAS CITY, MO., December 3.—Representatives of union packing house workers in Kansas City, Kansas, today carried out their decision to ignore summons issued by the Kansas court of industrial relations, which was convened in Kansas City, Kansas, to take up the threatened packing house workers' strike called for Monday. Note of the officials of the five locals of the butcher workers' union cited to appear answered when W. L. Higgins, president judge, called their names.

No attorneys responded for the union. All of the "big five" packers were represented by attorneys. Answering the citation read by the court, the packers' attorneys said they were willing to give any information they had without admitting the jurisdiction of the court in the matter.

KANSAS CITY, MO., December 30.—Subpoenas for the officials of five Kansas City, Kansas, locals of the Amalgamated Association of Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of America were issued by the Kansas court of industrial relations, sitting in Kansas City, Kansas, today, following failure of the union representatives to appear before the court in response to summons for a hearing on the packing workers' strike set for Monday. The sheriff of Wyandotte county and his deputies were sent out to serve the subpoenas.

The court explained that the summons, which the union officials refused to obey, were requests for the presence at a preliminary hearing of those named. The subpoenas carry a demand for the appearance of the union representatives.

CHICAGO, December 3.—Coincident with an order of Armour & Co., of the "big five" packers, that all employees who walk out Monday in protest against the ten per cent reduction, will lose their places, advertisements appeared in papers here today signed by Swift & Co., calling for men to fill vacancies if the union men strike.

The situation in Kansas City, Kansas, where representatives of the union men were summoned before the Kansas industrial court, was brought to the attention of international officials of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America today, and it was said the Kansas men asked permission for a walk-out today to avoid appearance before the industrial court.

Officers of the "big five" packers have made plain their intention to continue operations and declared they do not fear a walk-out on a large scale. Union leaders say 25,000 union men in the plants of the "big five" distributed throughout 15 cities, will walk out.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Packing house workers in Kansas City, Kansas, have been advised to disregard the orders of the Kansas industrial court and to go on strike Monday morning, when the union strike order goes into effect in all packing centers, it was announced today by Dennis Lane, secretary of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America.

### National Meeting Of Jobless

DETROIT, MICH., December 3.—A two day national conference of the unemployed, called with the intent of arousing public opinion in behalf of men and women out of work, to the end that governmental aid might be given, opened here today.

Two proposed relief measures were on the program for discussion. These were extension of aid to unemployed by the government, and nationalization of some basic industry in order that work might be apportioned among a greater number of persons.

Discussion of these questions were expected to consume the greater part of the day's session. Tonight Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, and Glen E. Plumb, were scheduled to address a mass meeting. William Z. Foster will be in charge of the final session tomorrow, speaking concerning Russia.

### Great Britain, Japan And France Make Concessions

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Another important point in the Far Eastern discussions of the armament conference was won today by China in the committee of the nine powers, Great Britain, Japan and France agreeing to retire from much of the leased territory in China.

Japanese representatives, it was said, agreed to give up their leased territorial holdings in Shantung and also reported as offering to discuss retirement from their special territorial privileges in Manchuria.

M. Viviani, for France, expressed willingness to retire from Kwan Chow Wai, the French leased territory. British spokesmen, it was said, followed with a proffer to give up the British leased territory of Wei Hsi Wei.

The offer from Great Britain, Japan and France were said to be contingent on fulfillment of conditions which China was expected to meet.

### MARRIED 16 HUSBANDS IN 3 YEARS TO GET CHECKS

CHICAGO, December 3.—Federal agents broke up Mrs. Helen Dresler's plan just as she was making plans to marry her seventeenth husband in three years, according to her story to Captain Thomas I. Porter, of the secret service. By listing as the son of each husband, the little boy born from her second experience in matrimony, she added \$5 a month extra to the flood of allotment checks she received from the government, she said. Federal officials calculated she had received \$500 a month.

"I was working in Boston when I met Wilfrid Taylor," she related. "The draft got him and soon after landing in France he was killed."

Mrs. Dresler's brother also was killed in action overseas. Her little boy is Wilfrid Taylor's son.

"I had to go to work and get married, so I got married. Several months afterward my husband joined the navy, so I got two allotment checks. John Kelly, of the Brooklyn navy yards, was the next. I left him and married another sailor."

"Dear me, I can't remember all the names. Finally I came to Chicago and married three sailors in quick succession. Albert Dresler, a Camp Grant soldier, was the sixteenth. I had a sailor picked out for the next, but your agents arrested me."

### Billy Butt-In THE TIMES WEATHER MEN



"This brand sort o' pleases the public but judgin' by comments they'll like to have more of it. Here's for tomorrow."

OHIO—Generally cloudy tonight and Sunday. Probably unsettled in extreme south portion. Not much change in temperature.

KENTUCKY—Unsettled tonight and Sunday. Probably rain or snow. Somewhat colder Sunday.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 3.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Ohio Valley—Normal (temperature and generally fair, but with a probability of rains Wednesday or Thursday.

Region of Great Lakes—Normal temperature. Considerable cloudiness and occasional local snows or rains.

The extremes in the local temperature (today were): High, 45; low, 31.

### Frost May End Roses Blooming

LOUISVILLE, KY., December 3.—Another gardeners here have, for the past few days, enjoyed the unusual thrill of cutting roses from outdoor plants. But frost and cold weather, forecast today by weather bureau officials, may end the frosty season that made the roses bloom.

In a number of gardens buds which had resisted early frosts, bloomed under the urging of warm rains and sunny skies. Some of the bushes that had been stripped of their leaves by autumn frosts furnished their quota of full petalled flowers.

The gardeners declare that the roses are exceptionally fragrant and beautiful, because they have not been attacked by insects.

### Union Plumbers In Cincinnati To Strike

CINCINNATI, O., December 3.—Union plumbers in Cincinnati today notified their employers that they would go on strike Monday morning.

The plumbers' union is a party to the Cincinnati wage board agreement of the building industries, which recently expelled the steamfitters' and painters' unions for striking.

### Cold Snap In Sight

CHICAGO, December 3.—The first real cold weather of the season is due for this part of the country today, together with buries of snow, according to Henry J. Cox weather forecaster. The cold weather, which follows an exceptionally heavy rainy season, is expected to last for several days, Mr. Cox said.

### Steamship Overdue

NEW YORK, December 3.—The tank steamer Santa Rita, which sailed from New Orleans, October 20, for Spezia, Italy, today was reported 18 days overdue. She carries a crew of about forty men.

Build in 1902 at Cleveland, she registers 5,273 gross tons, and is owned by the American Fuel Oil and Transport Co.

### MARINE ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

CINCINNATI, O., December 3.—The first casualty among the marines guarding the mails in the Cincinnati district, was reported today. Private Stanisko was accidentally shot through the arm by a comrade whose pistol was discharged while he was cleaning the weapon.

Four Children Within a Year ABILENE, Tex., Arrival of triplets, all boys, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Young, gave the couple four children within a year. Another baby boy was born early this year.



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THEN THE COMEDY

DYNAMITE A Two Reel Riot Of Laughter and Joy

## Red Men Name Officers

L. F. Dougherty was elected to head Seneca Tribe, No. 14, Incorporated Order of Red Men last night when officers were selected for the ensuing year. The adoption degree was also conferred on five candidates last night. Charles Dickerson, John Matthews, Carroll Lodwick, Henry Merdison and Arthur Hyde were the candidates initiated. The Warrior's degree will be conferred on candidates next week.

The new officers are: Louis Dougherty—Prophet, John Newman—Sachem, Joseph Lykens—Senior Segamore, Garret Arnett—Junior Segamore, John Reeg—Chief of Records, Cecil Calvert—Collector of Wampum, Chas. Hester—Keeper of Wampum, Carl Odel—Trustee 1-2-3 years, James Platt—Representative to the Great Council of Ohio, Alva Carr—Alternate.

## To Play During Holiday Season

Guy Edwards, who starred at last season for Belmont's Selects last season will not be home until the holidays and during that time may play with the Selects in games they have scheduled during that period.

He starred on the St. Francis college football team at Loretta, Pa., this fall and is expected to be one of the mainstays of the college's basketball team this winter.

Frowning, Doll and Chabot, all former P. H. S. students who are attending the same school, will also work out for the varsity team.

## Sinn Fein Take Up Proposals

DUBLIN, December 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Members of the Sinn Fein cabinet assembled today to consider the British government's latest proposals for an Irish peace settlement. There is little optimism as to its decision, and the Sinn Fein peace delegates are reported as believing the revised terms will be unacceptable to Eamon DeValera and his advisers.

The exact nature of the proposals is not known, but they are said to be based on an all-Ireland parliamentary government, one of the strong points for which the Sinn Fein has been holding out. Under the proposals, Sinn Fein would be required to remain in this parliament at least six months, when they could withdraw at their option. In case of withdrawal, Sinn Fein's financial affairs as a separate government would be defined by a commission and they would be restricted to the powers she enjoys at present while the south of Ireland would be granted fiscal freedom.

One version of the new terms is that they deal with the Sinn Fein's objection to swearing allegiance to the crown by providing that allegiance is sworn to the Irish free state, the commonwealth of nations known as the British empire, and to the king as head of that community of nations.

In the event the new terms are unacceptable to the Sinn Fein, it is believed the Sinn Fein delegates have been asked to present a proposal on behalf of the British government for a postponement of the negotiations, not only to allow for a possible adjustment of views, but to permit Premier Lloyd George to make a brief visit to the Washington conference. Continuation of the peace talks is thought to have been a consideration in preparing this alternative.

## FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—Henry Nitschke, charged with slaying his wife, a street car conductor, in a holdup at the edge of the city, September 2, was found guilty in the first degree by a jury here early this morning. The jury, which deliberated for an hour, recommended mercy.

## Public Utilities, Their Importance And Relation To The Public Discussed At C. Of C. Meeting

How the State Public Utilities Commission is always working for the best interest of the public, although at times it seems to the public that the corporation is favored, was explained in detail last evening by Attorney C. C. Maxwell of Cleveland, Krueger secretary of the Public Utilities Commission, when he addressed about 100 members of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce at All Saints' parish house, this being the December forum meeting of the C. of C. membership body.

Mr. Maxwell presented a very convincing speaker and as he unfolded the working plan of the commission in a most forceful manner the audience became more and more interested in the subject. Those present gained a more detailed understanding of the Public Utilities Commission from Mr. Maxwell's address.

The chairman of the meeting was Fred B. Winter, who introduced the speaker as one that the C. of C. members should be glad to hear, his subject being one that ought to interest all as all are users of some public utility.

An explanatory talk of the sale of C. Rickman Seals to be conducted by the business men of Portsmouth was made by Robert G. Bryan.

Attorney Maxwell in part had the following to say:

I have been asked by the Ohio Committee on Public Utility Information, an organization which has for its purpose the dissemination of fundamental facts in relation to public utilities in the interests of their patrons and owners, to say something to you today in the light of four years' association with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, on the subject "The Community and Its Utilities."

Let me say at the outset that it is not my intention to defer directly to or comment upon any local utility situation. What I shall have to say will be of a general nature, applicable to the relationship of the people of any community and that community's public utilities.

To what extent are we in the modern community dependent upon our public utilities—those silent, efficient and faithful servants, standing ready day and night to render such service as our need or whim may direct.

### Luxuries of Today

We read in Holy Writ of the grandeur of the court of Solomon, the magnificence of his reign, the beauty of his wives, the luxuriousness of his palaces and temples. Yet, even as was the luxury life of the field more blessed with rain, so is the life of the modern community dependent upon our public utilities—those silent, efficient and faithful servants, standing ready day and night to render such service as our need or whim may direct.

Luxuries which we have grown to consider common place—a ride on a street car, a conversation over the telephone, gas for cooking, electricity to light our homes and drive our machinery—but nevertheless, luxuries for which Solomon would have parted with half his fortune, his palaces, even half his wives.

You press a button and a bright light instantly floods your office. You pick up a telephone receiver and may converse with a friend or business associate in New York or San Francisco as easily as if he were seated on the opposite side of your desk. Turn a lever at home and gas is ready to cook your evening meal or give heat and light. Board a street car and some invisible power carries you to your destination. You wish to communicate with London, Shanghai, Cape Town, Rome, or with a ship at sea—instantly, through the air without the aid of wires, or through cables under the seas, goes your message, and in a brief space of time returns the answer.

### When Utility Is Missed

All of these modern day necessities stand ready at the beck and call of the inhabitants of our smallest hamlets, and in great measure, are available in the farmhouse along our highways. So faithful has their service become and so rare extended interruption that we have grown to regard them as true, commonplace things and accept their services as a matter of course part of our daily routine. It is only when something happens to interrupt this routine of service that we are brought up short and given a realization of how much we are dependent upon our public utility service. When an unavoidable accident at the power house forces us to resort to the antiquated oil lamp or tallow candle, we have a greater appreciation of Edison and his labors in perfecting the electric light. When a street storm places your telephone and a thousand others within a radius of a hundred miles out of commission, we are moved to a sense of sympathy with the struggles through which Alexander Graham Bell passed in working out his telephone idea. In our urban centers where street car employees strike and remain out for a week, our city dweller has a greater respect for the street car against whose straps he may have previously raised without rhyme or reason.

I am quite sure that the people of Shelby, over in Shelby county, have a greater appreciation of telephone service since the unfortunate fire of a few weeks ago destroyed the telephone exchange and put all lines out of commission. It may be counted a certainty that the people of the three Illinois counties of Christian, Shelby and Montgomery regard the telephone as a necessity after a strike of three months duration upon the part of the telephone operators, leaving behind a trail of lives which might have been saved could medical aid have been summoned, property which might have been destroyed by fire, could assistance have been called for in time, profits which might have been made on grain and livestock, could information have been obtained.

Once at Columbus where all telephone service was suspended for a period of nine weeks, account of a strike of telephone operators, a new feeling of cordiality upon the part of the public toward the telephone company, its management and employees is apparent.

### Mourn Loss of Service

Many Ohio communities are mourning today the loss of electric interurban railroads forced to abandon service and sell their property as junk, after years of neglect, abuse and unfair dealing at the hands of an unappreciative public.

We cannot doubt that public calamity would ensue with the cessation of the functions of these great public services. Unquestionably the suspension of public utility service in Petrograd under Bolshevik control has been a big population from nearly 4,000,000 to 600,000 or less.

With a realization, then, of what these public utilities mean to us, let us consider how we in the community may make of them even more effective public agencies, cause their facilities to become available to more of our people and assist in bringing to a greater degree of perfection the quality of the service they render us.

These things are vital to a community not only in the matter of home convenience and social relationship, but are very essentially vital in a business way. You realize that the telephone is necessary to you in the conduct of your business. If you are a manufacturer you realize the necessity of having adequate electric power always available. If a merchant, you have an appreciation of the street car which brings the patron to your door. As a house owner, you have an appreciation for natural gas, designated as "the greatest luxury of the twentieth century," destined soon, alas, to be gone.

### Index of a Community

But aside from these purely personal reasons of business or convenience, there should be the broader outlook of general community welfare and interest in the consideration of how we may make our utilities more effective agencies. A community is known largely by its public utilities. If its utilities companies are unable to furnish adequate light, heat, communication or transportation services, the community immediately feels the defect. To the stranger or visitor, well lighted streets, homes, equipped with the use of electric light and modern household appliances, good water, efficient telephone service and adequate street railway transportation constitute a good index of the community's standing, its ideals and its progressiveness. You business men know that these are things taken into consideration when a new factory site is being looked for, when a man wishes to embark in mercantile or professional business.

We must accept, then, the fact that utility prosperity means community prosperity, and community prosperity means personal prosperity and contentment. This being true, we must realize that the interest of the people of a community and the interests of the utilities which serve them are inseparably entwined, and what injures one, inevitably reacts on the others. If the utility drives a hard bargain, becomes domineering and overbearing, the community suffers, and with it eventually the utility comes to grief. If, on the other hand, the community drives a hard bargain and ties down its utilities with burdensome restrictions and confiscatory rates, there is disaster in store for the utility, and consequent suffering for the community.

### Plea for Square Deal

My plea, therefore, is not one for special favor to any utility or any class of utilities, but rather for simple justice and square dealing, to the end that in permitting our utilities to live and expand our community shall likewise prosper and expand. President Harding, in an address in Cleveland, said the utilities deserved a square deal and should have it. His predecessor in office voiced a similar appeal. A square deal is all the utility operators themselves ask, and they have confidence enough in the integrity of the citizens of this great country to believe that they and their companies will get this square deal if the people can be brought to understand the underlying facts and principles of utility service.

### Dual System

Public utility business differs in many ways from the business of the merchant, the manufacturer or the professional man. This is perhaps chiefly true in the matter of regulation of prices which the utility may take. In Ohio we have the dual system of home rule and state commission regulation. Municipal councils have the right to fix by ordinance the rate to be charged for gas, electric light and power, water, and heating service, with the right of appeal to the state utilities commission. With reference to street railway fares, home rule is absolute, while the State commission may not fix street railway fares, it should be borne in mind that in the event the company cannot secure relief from council it may apply to the commission for authority to abandon all service and sell its property for junk. Two such cases are now pending before the Ohio Commission. Local councils have been given no authority over telephone rates, such control being impracticably acrossed of the intercommunity and rural aspects of the business. After years of experience, the state commission form of regulation is considered the best yet devised. Instead of prolonged litigation in law courts, we have a forum equipped with experts having a thorough knowledge of public utilities to make adjustment of issues which arise. Through this constant supervision by state authority the rates of a utility are never permitted to become excessive, and only a fair return is allowed on the value of the actual property investment. No attention is given the amount of securities out-

standing, hence the cry of "watered stock" is nothing but a hogey of bygone days.

### Cards On The Table

Public utility managers have learned many lessons during recent years. Their cards are all on the table and they invite the public to look into most intimate details in connection with their business. Even should there appear here and there a disposition toward reticence, the modern system of regulation makes available to the public the entire record of the utility's business. Most of the old-time prejudice against utilities was due to ignorance of the facts, but in the light of modern publicity and open dealing this prejudice is rapidly diminishing and we see in our citizenship more manifestations of desire to settle such utility problems as arise in a sense of justice and fairness, after they become fully acquainted with the facts.

In every community its business men are its natural leaders and form and mould public opinion, especially with reference to business matters, which utility questions essentially are. It is proper, therefore, that the business men in communities, through their organizations, see to it that the community's utilities give and are given a square deal. They ask no more.

### People Own Utilities

After all, it is the people themselves who own the utilities. In Ohio there are over 112,000 owners of stock in utility companies—42,000 in telephone companies, 23,000 in electric light and power companies, 22,000 in natural and artificial gas companies, 20,000 in the electric railway industry, 1,000 in water companies, and over 4,000 have investments in public service companies which operate outside the state. These persons, with their families, represent a considerable portion of the population of the state. But in addition to this vast array of investors, thousands of others are interested in a financial way without their knowledge. They are holders of or beneficiaries under life insurance policies and bank deposits. More than \$300,000,000 of the reserves of our great life insurance companies and in excess of \$1,700,000,000 in savings bank deposits are invested in the securities of public utility companies.

It is, therefore, the people themselves, the public served, who are the real owners of the concerns furnishing these vital necessities. The amount of capital invested in them is a tremendous thing, the total in the United States reaching the enormous figure of \$15,000,000,000, exclusive of steam railroads. In Ohio, alone, the investment in public utility property is well in excess of one billion dollars, exclusive of steam railroads.

### Large Investment Required

In perhaps no other business is so large an investment required before it may begin to earn even the limited rate of return allowed by regulatory tribunals. In other words, in no business is the turn-over of invested capital so small as in the utility business. A merchant may put in a \$5,000 stock and do a \$50,000 business in a year, but a utility must make an investment of from \$2,000 to \$5,000 before it may take in \$1.00 in gross revenue. Out of that \$1.00 gross must be paid operating expenses, taxes, interest, depreciation—all uncertain quantities, but owing to the regulation of his business the utility operator may not fluidly adjust his prices to meet fluctuations in costs and other contingencies as may the merchant or manufacturer.

### New Capital Constantly

The investment of new capital is a constant necessity with utility companies, it being estimated that for the proper development of the electrical industry alone, the enormous sum of \$4,500,000,000 in new capital will be required to meet the demand for electrical energy within the next few years. It is only by that means that lines can be extended, new customers taken on, and facilities improved. It is certainly to the interest of the merchant that street car lines be extended and additional customers be brought to his door, that better interurban equipment be provided that the convenience of his rural patrons be more greatly served; that additional persons in the community have telephones through which to make their wants known; that the facilities of gas and electricity be extended that new suburbs may be opened for settlement and this aid to his clientele. You business men should then foster greater interest among yourselves and your people in the matter of the development of your utilities through investment in them. In many communities a popular slogan is "Pay Your Bills With Your Dividends." But aside from the question of income there is the good, wholesome result of having a larger body of citizens who become partners in the utilities business and with a very definite interest therein and a consequent added incentive to see to it that utility problems will be adjusted in such a manner as to redound to the good of the community as a whole.

### No Utility Profiteer

We heard much of "profiteering" during the war. I challenge the manager of a public utility profiteer. An inspection of their books will show no abnormal profits during the war period. During these strenuous times they were the subjects of the same strict regulation as obtains in these trying times of peace, and let me say that great service to the country was rendered by public utilities during the war. Every demand or suggestion by those in authority met with instant response. All facilities asked by the government were furnished. And you business men who have a reason to fear over an excess profit tax are afflicted with a worry which the utility operator knows nothing of he has no excess profits. In fact, a utility company does not make a profit in the

ordinary sense of that term. Your gas, telephone, street car and electric light and power companies are allowed to charge for their essential service a rate high enough only to meet the cost of production; allow for depreciation, pay taxes and give investors only a reasonable rate of interest on the money they have put up to make the service possible.

### Things Are Picking Up

It has become a commonplace thing for a public speaker to close his address with a reference to the grandness of America. Though the habit has become a fixed one, it is nevertheless, a reference which cannot be too often used. The heart of a true patriot always glows with pride as he hears the glories of his country recounted. We are a great people. We have made of America a land the like of which was never known. We have our ups and downs in the sense of material prosperity and how to the material dates of supreme economic life like all nations, but we are endowed with that American spirit of undaunted optimism which enables us to find the end of the rainbow while less fortunate people grope in darkness. Already behind the cloud of business depression the silver lining has begun to appear. Things are picking up. We have all been through such depressing before. We have learned to have faith and never doubt the ultimate outcome.

### Greatness of America

And as we consider the greatness of America, let me ask you not to forget the part that public utilities have played in bringing about that greatness. Transportation, communication—through these have the vast open spaces been built up. Electricity, gas, water, the telephone and electric railway—through these have our wonderful cities and industrial centers been made possible.

We board a palatial train in New York and in 24 hours arrive at St. Louis, a distance of a little over a thousand miles. To us such a journey means nothing. The distance from London to Warsaw is also slightly in excess of a thousand miles but a railroad journey between these points is fraught with delays and vexations. Days are required to secure necessary passports. Delays are encountered at the borders of numerous countries and principalities en route, baggage searched and customs duties paid, money exchanged. To communicate for an extended distance by telephone in Europe is impossible. All France has not as many telephone as Chicago. The completeness and efficiency of the telephone and telegraph system installed by our army signal corps in the great war were the marvel of our allies who made use of our systems where possible in preference to their own.

With these marvelous utility facilities at hand, the American business man is reaching out to greater achievement each passing day. The American farmer has become the greatest producer in the world. Let us by the application of the doctrine of the Golden Rule and Square Deal, support, extend and enlarge these facilities that even greater contentment, happiness and prosperity may hold sway in the land over which, please God, the sunlight of His favor, shall never cease to shine.

### SOCIETY

Mrs. H. W. Mathiott was re-elected president of Peerless Auxiliary, S. W. V. last night at a well attended meeting of the organization. Other officers to be appointed by the president. A banquet will be a feature of the installation exercises at the first meeting in January. The members of Peerless Camp will be invited to the banquet.

The election last night resulted as follows: President—Mrs. H. W. Mathiott, Senior Vice-President—Mrs. Barbara Holtz, Junior Vice-President—Mrs. Bertha Lander, Chaplain—Mrs. V. E. Martin, Historian—Mrs. Vina Hundley, Patriotic Instructor—Mrs. Blanche Noel, Secretary—Mrs. Adolph Reinert, Treasurer—Mrs. Edward Reinhardt, Conductor—Mrs. Clara Barber, Assistant Conductor—Margaret Barber, Guard—Mrs. Ed Zeek, Assistant Guard—Maud Mathiott.

Mrs. Lucien Doty has returned from a shopping trip to Columbus. While there she visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fuller.

A total of ninety-five dollars was netted from the rummage sale held yesterday by the Ladies Aid of Bigelow church, at the storehouse, Eleventh and John streets. The sale will be held again this afternoon. The proceeds will be placed in the Aid treasury fund.

Mrs. J. T. Brever, 328 Eighth street will entertain members of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Trinity church, Tuesday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Angelina Holland will have charge of the devotionals, while Mrs. Edgar Mann will give a review of the textbook. A demonstration of eight characters entitled "Blessed are They That Hunger and Thirst," will be a feature of the afternoon's program. About twenty members will participate.

This will also be the Christmas ofering meeting, and all members are urged to make a generous contribution. Mrs. G. J. Harbridge will have charge of the "mystery" box.

Members have the privilege of bringing a guest with them, and a large attendance is anticipated.

The regular bi-monthly dance of the Buckeye Social Club was held last night at the Baseman Dancing Academy. Dancing was enjoyed by about fifty couples from 8:30 o'clock until 11:30, the music being furnished by the Baseman orchestra.

## Eastern Council Of Nations Appears To Be Objective Of The World Powers

BY DAVID LAWRENCE  
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—An eastern council of nations now appears as the objective of the governments gathered here to discuss Far Eastern questions.

**Nine Powers to Organize**  
The same nine powers who are trying to establish a set of principles to guide each other in their commercial, financial and political relations with respect to the Pacific will be ultimately grouped in an organization to see to it that the principles adopted at Washington are fairly applied.

The United States government in its original invitation endeavored to include all nations which might possibly have interests in the far east with the exception of Russia. When the Russians got a stable government they too would be invited to join.

**Association of Nine or Ten Nations**  
In other words this development of an association of nine or ten nations for a precise object—the tranquilization of the Far East—that is in line with President Harding's theory that international conference can bring about co-operation not merely for others, but for the nations themselves. It is upon the basis of this theory that the nine powers called to discuss the Far East were the only ones to whom the Far Eastern settlement was vital.

In the same sense Mr. Harding has taken occasion to refer to the organization created by the Versailles treaty as "the European league of nations." The president has let it be known that he believes the league should abide because it has a definite value for Europe. Probably if he were asked to define his attitude toward central and south America he would say that the Monroe doctrine and the Pan-American understanding of the last generation had developed an association of the nations of the western hemisphere.

**U. S. Cannot Join Alliance**  
But the greatest thing that may develop out of the eastern council of nations is the formula it may furnish for the graceful abrogation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. The statement of the Japanese opposition leader that the Anglo-Japanese alliance should be regarded to include the United States is similar to the utterances of Prime Minister Lloyd George who has been

urging a special agreement of Japan, United States and the British empire to take care of Far Eastern matters. To this the United States government cannot agree. High officials have made that clear.

So the logical development which will come at the psychological moment is a grouping of nations in an eastern council. The compact uniting them would automatically cancel all previous agreements which might be inconsistent with it. Such an agreement would be the Anglo-Japanese alliance and which would be the alliance to be abrogated. The alliance would be terminated immediately if Japan and Great Britain mutually agreed to dispense with the two-months notice. Difficulties on this score are not anticipated if a satisfactory understanding or convention is drawn up by the nine powers gathered here.

**Indications of Objective of Powers**  
There has already been one significant indication that the nine powers were working toward this objective. It was the appointment of a commission to study the question of giving up extra territorial rights. All powers have agreed to the principle of abandoning these rights but the commission was determined exactly when the Chinese judicial authorities are competent to protect foreigners and their disputes. This commission is composed of representatives of each of the governments in session here but the commission will have to report to a larger body—probably the eastern council of nations. Other intricate problems that cannot possibly be settled at Washington and require further study and examination will be left to commissions which in turn would report to a conference of powers.

The Chinese themselves are eager for such a permanent conference to be established and the proposal has been given favorable consideration on every side. Already its value has been apparent even in adjusting matters of current concern to two powers such as the Shantung dispute. While it is true that China and Japan are conducting the negotiations the fact is the United States and Great Britain are keeping an eye on the negotiations ready to lend a hand and propose compromise at the proper moment. The affairs of the Far East have always been considered a matter for common action by the great powers but heretofore the existence of the Anglo-Japanese alliance has impeded international cooperation along broad lines for the associated two of the powers so closely together as to make difficult for the others to bring about concerted action. The eastern council would abolish alliances altogether in the Pacific.

Mrs. Joseph Bratt, 617 Front street welcomed members of the Heather Kensington Club to her home for the regular meeting last night. Needlework formed the diversion of the evening, which was concluded with the serving of a dainty lunch.

Those enjoying the evening were: Mrs. Arthur Beasley, Mrs. Louis Brennan, Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. Norman Parker, Mrs. Lee Russell, Mrs. Paul Bingham, Mrs. Roy Ferguson of the Bingham members, and Mrs. Wm. Cunningham, a guest for the evening.

The next meeting will be in the nature of a passing party at the home of Mrs. Norman Parker on the West Side on Thursday evening, December 22nd.

## Sinn Fein Peace Envoys In Wreck

HOLYHEAD, ENGLAND, December 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Fears that the crucial Sinn Fein cabinet conference in Dublin today would be delayed with the possible postponement of an answer to the British government's new Irish settlement proposals (owing to the accident in which the steamer Cambria, with three members of the Sinn Fein delegation on board, was involved early today, were dissipated when it was found possible to transfer the Cambria's passengers to another steamer.

The Irish delegates on board were Michael Collins, Sinn Fein minister of finance, George Gavan Duffy and E. J. Connelley. They were on their way from London after the recent conference with Prime Minister Lloyd George and his advisers and had been expected to take part in today's consideration by the British government's latest proposals for a peace settlement.

## Restore Order In Vienna

VIENNA, December 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Advent of real winter weather has served better than the police to restore order in Vienna after the serious rioting of Thursday, when mobs pillaged hotels, stores and restaurants and robbed and beat all who presented an appearance of prosperity. The city yesterday was in the grip of a blizzard, with the temperature several degrees below the freezing point, and a blizzard driving the snow through the bleak, almost deserted streets.

Business was suspended, even the provision stores and markets being tightly shuttered. The police also was closed and was guarded by police. De-

tachments of troops withdrawn from Burgenland arrived and heavy guards were posted at the bridges on the Danube canal, and those leading to the industrial section from which the rioters came.

As a result of the disorders, a general exodus of profiteers and idlers is taking place, every outbound train being crowded.

A total of 174 stores were wrecked and looted, police reports show, and many others were damaged and their show windows pillaged by the mobs.

**INCREASE IN EARNINGS**  
TOLEDO, O., Dec. 3.—The earnings of the Ohio Electric Railway Company have made a substantial increase during the present year over 1920, the report of the records filed in federal court here today shows.

The earnings for the first ten months of 1921 were \$416,705 and \$362,457 for the same period in 1920.

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### Canter Announces Candidacy

Elza Canter, prominent and progressive farmer of Jefferson township, and former deputy sheriff, has announced that he will be a candidate for county commissioner in the Republican primary next August to succeed Jacob Knauer whose term expires next year.

Believing in the old adage "that the early bird gets the worm," Mr. Canter is the first candidate to shy his hat in the ring for the commissionership nomination. He is a splendid gentleman with a wide circle of friends and will be a most formidable candidate. He expects to make an active canvass which he will start early in the new year in an effort to win the place he aspires to on the ticket.

### Officer Recovers Stolen Car

PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 3.—As Officer Kendall was going home about three o'clock this morning, he noticed three men in a machine who were acting suspicious and started to follow them in his own machine. As soon as the parties pursued found that they were being chased, they started firing at the officer who returned their fire until his ammunition was exhausted. By this time they were nearing Fifth and McKinney avenue, where the car was abandoned, the men running away across the Spanner lands. On reaching the car, Officer Kendall found that it belonged to Doctor Barton. No key was in the car, the thieves having made away with it by connecting it up with a wire.

### In New York

Edward T. Reed of the Joseph G. Reed company, local wholesale dry goods firm, is in New York for several days on business.

### Power And Light Lines May Be Extended To The Country Club

The probability of securing an extension of power and light lines to the new Country Club home to be built on the site selected on the Tremper farm, near the intersection of the Galena Pike and the Township road, West Side, was disclosed at a meeting of the building committee of the club held Friday night.

In connection with the proposition it was stated that it is planned to also furnish power and light for all the territory in and about Nantux and between there and the Country Club, which will mean much to the prosperity to that rapidly growing section.

With power and light furnished

from the Portsmouth plant, many problems that has been bothering the promoters of the Country Club will be solved, and will add much to the desirability of the site that was selected for the erection of the new home.

The building committee last evening decided to have architects appear before them next Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms starting at seven o'clock. Each architect is to be allowed an hour to present his plans, and following this a selection of an architect will probably be made.

The building committee is composed of Messrs. Fred Manning, Harry W. Miller, Raymond York, Clark V. Werts, and H. E. Taylor.

### Horse Scares At Umbrella; Runs Away

When an umbrella was blown out of a man's hand on Gallia street, East Portsmouth, Friday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock, it frightened a horse driven by Boone McRoberts of Harrisonville pike into running away, the horse breaking loose with part of the shafts and running all the way to the

New Boston mayor's office where a man stepped into the street and halted the flight of the horse.

Mr. McRoberts endeavored to control the horse at first, but when parts of the harness broke he had to let go of the reins and allow the horse to run. The damage was slight.

### New Pastor Given "Pound Party"

Members of Allen M. E. church surprised their new pastor, Rev. Norman W. Brown with a "pound party" Friday night. The delegation numbering more than fifty persons, met at the home of Mrs. Laura Rose, and at a

given hour moved on the parsonage at 1224 Union street, in a procession singing "There's a Stranger at The Door." Of course, Rev. Brown led the delegation in and they heaped a table with provisions of all kinds.

### Did You Hear It? Some Sweet Music

If you hear the sweetest of all music, the jingling of the coin, don't be surprised. Members of the Smoke House team cut into their receipts last night and the boys are all "well healed" today. They received a tidy sum and still have lots more to come. And that old 40 per cent from Ironton. "I guess we are not setting pretty," one of the players said last night as

he flashed a roll big enough to wreck the C. & O. flyer.

### Has Diphtheria

Miss Mabel Moulton is very ill with diphtheria at her home in Lucasville. She is a sister of Attorney F. W. Moulton, of this city.

### Removed Home

Mrs. Frank Walters, who underwent a serious surgical operation at Hampden Hospital several days ago, is steadily recovering from the effects of the ordeal. The patient was removed from the hospital to her home at 1410 Summit street Friday.

Miss Gertrude Laug, 1515 Gallia street, stenographer, employed at the McKeen-Nash company, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils Friday.

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kelly, 1713 Sixth street announced the birth of a daughter Friday at Mercy hospital clinic.

### On Sale Monday

Reserved seats for the Battery B boxing show, to be held at the Sun Theatre, Monday night, will go on sale at nine o'clock Monday morning. No telephone orders for reservations will be taken.

The tickets for the bouts have been selling rapidly and the boys are sure to realize a nice sum for their meek fund. The local fight fans appreciate the high class show that the Battery is putting on.

### The Passover

The Jewish feast of the Passover is one of those undying links that bind together this very old world. It is the oldest religious celebration known to mankind. It had its birth on the banks of the Nile 4,000 years ago in the twilight of history.

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### BY BLOSSER

### OHIO FALLING SLOWLY

The Ohio river continued falling slowly in the Portsmouth district Saturday morning when a stage of 4.0 feet was registered here at 7:00 a. m., a drop of but two feet during the preceding twenty-four hours.

Reports indicated that the stream was falling fast at all points above Cincinnati.

Saturday morning and local river men predict that the river will be falling here rapidly by tonight and by Sunday noon be back within its banks.

The only boat movement Saturday was the Tacoma down cargo to Cincinnati.

### Letters From Our Readers

Editor Times:

Under the caption "Letters From Our Readers" the past few days have appeared letters apparently from those near to Roy Chamblin, self-confessed murderer, asking that his death sentence be commuted to life imprisonment that he might have an opportunity to change his ways, repent, live a better life or do something for society. What could he do? What would he do? Furthermore, it seems they would justify their position by referring to the Holy Scriptures, the case of the woman taken in adultery as given in the 8th chapter of John and perhaps they might find other places where folks were forgiven of sin. This is true. But it would seem that the writers of these letters did not study the matter very much, at least as far as Acts, fifth chapter, or they would have found things of a different nature. A man told a lie, he died, his wife told the same lie or rather she corroborated his statement and she died. Judas betrayed the Christ and had the nerve to kill himself, Chamblin betrayed the trust that society had reposed in him and didn't have the nerve to kill himself but went on to organize a band that he might further betray society. He has had twenty-seven years of society's trust, the freedom of the country, and while he may have suffered many hard knocks, he has had ample time to prove what he would do and he did. Now the law has said that he must die, representatives of the law have said that he was guilty, he himself has admitted it, then why should he be turned loose or even be allowed to take up a life sentence? If the Bible was more closely followed in its teachings there would be less crime. The lawbreakers and officers who enforce it would not be afraid to do their duty and those who choose a life of crime would become scarce if they knew that swift justice would be meted out to them as was done in the original Mosaic law upon which all our laws are based in a large measure. The man who is a sinner would naturally advance mercy instead of justice. Perhaps he don't know how soon he will commit some unlawful deed himself. Justice is not what most people want. Justice means to pay for your deeds here and hereafter. And, if folks studied their Bible more they would be constrained to talk less.

The recent killing of Arthur Timiney will be laid at the door of moonshine and it is likely some one will say he ought not to suffer for the reason that he did not know what he was doing. Who is responsible for his not knowing? What right has any man, in justice to himself and to society, to fill up on a liquid that will keep him from knowing what he is doing? Doubtless he suffered from the effects of his drinking by physical pains the next morning but justice demands that he also answer to the mandate of the law for his acts while in that condition. The pity of it is that those who are left, those who know about these things, those even who witness many of these crimes and their ultimate result, will go and do the same things and then plead for mercy because the Master forgave a poor, misguided woman of her sin, a sin that if folks were stoned to death for today the population of Portsmouth would not

be 33,041. Think seriously before you ask the governor or any one else to undo something that the law has done for the benefit of society.

If we had no law to prevent such crimes as Chamblin and others have committed in and about Portsmouth, or even if it were only a prison of fence, do you not think it would be worse than it is? It would be unsafe for a man and his wife, a brother and sister, or any one else most to go out riding after the shades of night had fallen, no matter how innocent their purpose might be. Because "Men repressively criminals" love darkness rather than light because their deeds are evil." Also see Rev. 12:10.

F. O. R. JUSTICE

### Dahlia Really Mexican.

There seems to be an impression that the first dahlias were cultivated in Europe and America were single flowered forms. This is a mistake; the very first species to be described and figured, double plant, was a form with a duplex or double head. It was propagated in the royal gardens at Madrid from roots of Mexican origin, and was named by the botanist Cavendish in 1791 in honor of Andreas Dahl, a distinguished pupil of Linnaeus.

### Jade and Its Properties.

The modern mind is scarcely able to sympathize with the old oriental attitude toward the precious qualities of jade, esteeming it for its esthetic properties. In its evolution as an art object a parallel might be drawn between it and the worship of the gods of Greece; as they failed in power and respect shown them they were not wasted, but became excellent material for poetry.

### STOMACH TROUBLES

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Rev. Canon upon parents the desirability of bringing their children with them to this service. At the evening service the pastor will preach on "Overflowing With Hope." This sermon will be of the type familiar to all who have attended the evening service at this church. That is to say, it will be a plain, straightforward presentation of the gospel message. You are cordially invited to hear this sermon on "Hope." It ought to be particularly welcome at this time.

The morning service is at 10:30 a. m., and the evening service at 7:00 p. m.

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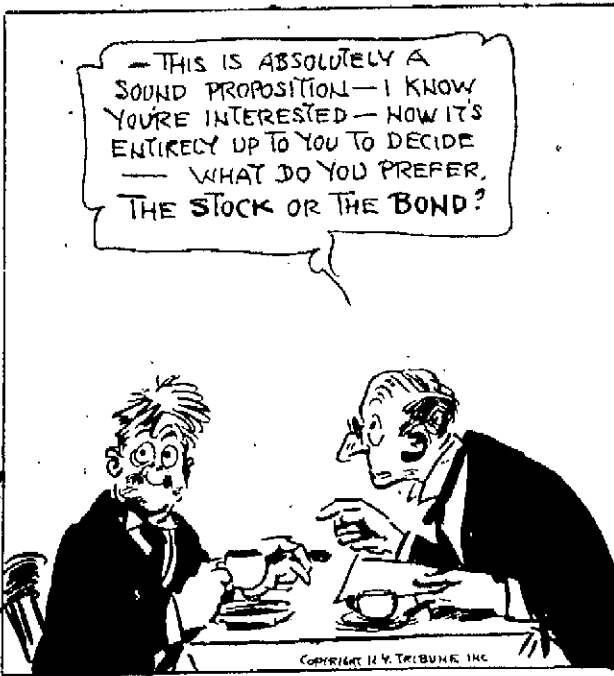
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Thompson garage, the small frame structure and considerable haled hay, and straw being destroyed. The last End fire company made the run to Sciotoville and succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to

Thompson's general store building. Mr. Thompson, who owns two automobiles, had both machines out of the garage at the time. The loss is covered by insurance.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

## WIFE WINS IN CLOSE RACE TO COURT

In a race to the divorce court Saturday Margaret Riffe, 2621 Ninth street, just beat her husband, Clord Riffe, N. & W. employe, by an eyelash. Attorney Mark Crawford filing a petition on behalf of the wife only a few seconds before Attorney A. R. Campbell showed up at the office of the clerk of courts with a bill of complaint against the spouse, in which he seeks a divorce.

In her petition for divorce and alimony the wife says that about seven months after her marriage to Riffe at Vanceburg, Ky., in June, 1918, he began and has continued ever since a course of habitual drunkenness and quarreling with her without cause, besides, she declares, he has never supported her properly and asserts that he has struck and injured her on various occasions. She claims that he has now entirely abandoned her and their 15-months-old child and that she is compelled to rely wholly on the charity of her relatives and friends. Judge Thomas granted a temporary injunction trying up the defendant's wages until the suit can be heard on its merits. In his suit Riffe alleges neglect and infidelity and he asks for the divorce and custody of their child.

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## DOKIES ARE HOLDING SIXTH CEREMONIAL

Starting at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the sixth ceremonial of the D. O. K. K. will not come to a close until a late hour tonight. The ceremonial day is one that is always looked forward to by all Dokies for that is the time that members have their fun with the candidates anxious to learn the mysteries of the order.

The fun this afternoon did not start until about 3:30 o'clock as plenty of time was given for the late arrival of candidates. The first seven orders of the work will be extended before supper is served about 6:30 o'clock. Starting at eight o'clock the eighth order of business or work will start. This work

will take up most of the evening and part of the night for the first meeting of Dokies will not be concluded until the clock strikes the midnight hour. The large class of candidates included K. of P. members from Peersless lodge this city, Sciotoville and other nearby communities. More than three hundred men are expected to be in the hall tonight.

## Will Exhume Train Victim's Body

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Belleville, of Houston Hollow, near Davis Station expect to go to Russell, Ky., Sunday when the body of the unidentified man found mangled along the C. & O. tracks in the C. & O. yards at Russell early this week will be exhumed in an effort to secure identification.

Mrs. Belleville is of the belief that the body is that of her father Mr. Woods of near St. Albans, W. Va. The Bellevilles have lived in this country only a short time and the wife's father has been visiting them early each month. He has failed to pay his usual visit this month and Mrs. Belleville thinks that her father was on his way to visit them when he met death in the C. & O. yards.

Mrs. Belleville called on Mrs. Harry Carter of 316 Third street, Mrs. Carter also believing that the body was that of her husband who has been away from home four weeks. She showed Mrs. Belleville a picture of Mr. Carter and Mrs. Belleville claimed that the man looked almost alike. Mr. and Mrs. Belleville may take Mrs. Carter with them tomorrow.

This morning Mrs. Carter said that a palmett had told her her husband was not dead and as she had great faith in the palmett's readings she does not hold to the belief that the man killed was also her husband.

Mr. Carter is also reported to be in Green county, Ohio.

## Accused of Stealing Three Machines

According to telegraph information in Gallipolis, John Van Pelt, who was arrested in Sciotoville yesterday, on a charge of stealing an automobile

in Gallipolis, is also wanted on a charge of stealing a machine at Rio Grande, Gallia county, and one in Charleston.

## Water Is Off The Towpath

Late this afternoon the water was off the Towpath road leading to the city after having been submerged sev-

eral days. The road is again opened to travel and West Shilers are again happy.

## Grand Rush To Pay Water Rent

There was a grand rush to pay water rent today as City Treasurer A. J. Fuller closed his books at 4:30 p. m. The time was extended from De-

cember 1 and his office was crowded all day by persons, who were anxious to escape paying the penalty to be imposed after today.

## Robbery Suspect Released

An operative of a Cincinnati private detective agency was in the city Saturday making an effort to gain a clue in connection with the robbery of the home of William Cooper Proctor at Glendale, near Cincinnati, a few nights ago when some value at more than \$50.00 was carried away by four unknown bandits.

A local young woman, who admitted having been in Cincinnati two weeks and stayed at the home of Harry Wright, under arrest as a suspect, was taken into custody and questioned by the police concerning the case last night. The girl was later released after the officers became convinced that she knew nothing of the robbery.

## Attend Game

Messrs. George Parore, Eugene Stewart, Ed Conwell and Ralph Musfeld motored to Branton today and attended the Tank Morris Harvey football game played in that city.

## Riggs Pays Up

Peter Riggs, who was taken into custody at New Boston Friday night on a warrant issued from Municipal court for jumping a \$1 board bill, was taxed the cost by Judge McCall Saturday after he had adjusted the board account. Riggs paid up and was released.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kelley of 1113 Sixth street are the parents of a ten pound daughter born Friday in Mercy hospital.

## To Attend Services

Thirty five members of the First Creek P. M. church will attend services in a body at the P. M. church Sunday evening.

## Harvey Wingo Is Taken To Greenup

Harvey Wingo, who is charged with grand larceny and who was arrested while at work here was this afternoon taken to Greenup jail, where he was lodged until given a hearing on a charge of stealing a shot gun valued at \$185.

## Columbus Attorney Drops Dead

WASHINGTON, D. C. December 3.—Edmund E. Tanner, an attorney of Columbus, Ohio, dropped dead today while addressing the superior bench of the Local Order of Moose in session here. Mr. Tanner had just completed his address as chief justice of the forum, when he was seen to stagger and fall into his seat.

Secretary Davis, of the department of labor, who is presiding, motioned to the aid of the stricken man together with other members of the order. The session of the superior forum was immediately halted and first aid given by Dr. A. C. Ball of Alliance, Ohio, who was sitting in the front. Mr. Tanner, however, was pronounced dead following an attack of acute dilation of the heart.

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## THE PORTSMOUTH DAILY TIMES

## SOCIETY

The Young People's Missionary Society of Bigelow M. E. Church, will meet Monday evening at the home of Miss Emma Johnston, 1303 Sixth street at 7:30 o'clock. Group Leaders are asked to solicit their members for the Christmas offering and make a report at this meeting. A feature of the meeting will be a talk by Miss Mae Tetterton, who will give an interesting description of her trip to Havana, Cuba, last summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mueller of Chicago announce the birth of a daughter at their home in that city on Sunday, November 27th. Mrs. Mueller was formerly Miss Ruth Foster, the daughter of Mrs. Nancy Forsythe of 1717 Offshore street.

The Ladies of Railway Conductors, No. 351, Ladies' Auxiliary No. 262, held a joint installation of officers Thursday evening, December 2nd, in Brady's Hall. Officers of 262 will be installed by Grand Deputy Mrs. Anna J. Beck of Lima, who is expected to arrive in the city tonight.

Miss Lucile Mayhew, a teacher in the grade schools at Lucasville, is the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Bratt, of Front street.

Mrs. C. T. Dugan entertained with an attractive party Friday afternoon at her home, 1543 Twelfth street, for the pleasure of her charming house guest, Miss Eva Bentley, formerly of Tiffin, Ohio. After a merry game of cards, the business served a delicious refreshment course to the Misses Helen and Mildred Dunn, Lena and Edna Hauck, Ethel and Stella McCall, Alice Taitan, Eva Bentley, Mrs. J. R. Middlebush, Mrs. Joseph T. Middlebush, Mrs. Leon Marshall and Mrs. T. L. Hummel.

Owing to Christmas falling on the last Sunday in December, the Vesper service at the Second Presbyterian church has been postponed until the last Sunday in January.

Mrs. Anna Linch of Lima will arrive this evening for a week's visit with Mrs. Charles Jeffords of Fifth street.

The Whatsoever Guild of All Saints' church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the Misses Mary and Agnes McCluney, of 1912 Jackson street. The newly elected officers will have charge of the meeting. They are: President, Miss Isabelle Kanouse; Vice-President, Mrs. Goldie McDaniels; Secretary, Mrs. Leola Moore; Treasurer, Mrs. Ida Prosch.

The Misses Anna and Louella Kanouse of 1816 Summit street had dinner guests last evening the Misses Doris Moore, Mary and Lella Harris, Garnet and Nell White and Hazel Clark. After dinner was served the evening was spent in fortune-telling and other games.

The Queen Esther Society of Trinity church will meet in the Sunday school parlors of the church Monday evening, December 5th, at 7:00 o'clock. The members are requested to bring gifts for the Christmas box, such as games, ribbons, etc., for the children. This is a very important meeting and all members are requested to be present.

Each member of the Woman's National Foundation local center, is invited to bring to the meeting next Thursday, a friend who is eligible to membership. The hour is two-thirty o'clock; the place, Mrs. Samuel Horchow's residence, 1907 Fourth street. Builder Member privilege will be granted only until the cost of the buildings is subscribed, and certificates of membership for those who are nominated by members entitled to Builder Membership privileges, prior to the completion of this fund.

The Hall of Memory is designed to remind me that my home, still my sanctuary and my country's cradle, has four walls whose shadows reach as far as the four winds blow.

A Hall of Memory to remind me so that I shall always serve mankind, so serve mankind that I shall forever glorify my God.

And to govern, to bring to legislation the myth of my sympathy and the splendor of my understanding, and stern as Duty, take for my foe every preacher of anarchy and discontent.

Ladies from surrounding communities are expected to report at the meeting on Thursday in response to the requests that have been extended to them in order that further arrangements may be perfected in regard to organizing the various centers.

The ladies at the Home for Aged Women were given a delightful treat last evening when the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Second Presbyterian church called at the home and enjoyed a social hour with them. The young folks rendered several musical numbers and readings which were thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by the ladies at the home. They also brought some delicious home made candy, and each of the ladies of the Christian Endeavor had charge of the meeting.

The regular meeting of the Progress Club will be held Monday evening at the home of Miss Louise Newland, 1221 Seventh street, with Miss Edna Shuckoff as assistant hostess. The following program will be presented:

Rail Call Current Events. Immigration—Anna Dugan. Our Immigrant Women—Phyllis Wilcott.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Old Town church, West Side, will hold their meeting Wednesday, December 7, at the home of Mrs. Fred Becker, West Side. A large attendance is desired as there is an important business and a Christmas offering to be taken.

Miss Anna Mackenback, of St. Mary's, Ohio, who has been spending the past few days with her mother, Miss Margaret Warner of Gallia county, left this afternoon for Columbus to visit over the weekend and after which she will return to Cincinnati to take up her studies at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

## Sheriff Nips Jail Delivery

IRONTON, Dec. 3.—Sheriff Dement nipped a jail delivery in the bud Friday when he caught Claude Lawder, charged with the murder of Leonard Haushaw of Kinderhook, saving one of the cell bars at the county jail which would have permitted him to

lower himself to the ground. When apprehended Lawder had sawed the lock from the cell and was busily at work on the other bar. He claims the saw was given him by Ernie Wilson, a fellow prisoner.

## Law Enforcement Campaign

John U. Dungan of Indianapolis has just completed an organization in this city to cooperate locally in a three-day law enforcement campaign to be put on by the Flying Squadron Foundation. Three groups of speakers, known as the Flying Squadron, will come here for meetings for afternoons and evenings of Saturday, Sunday and Monday, January 14th, 15th and 16th.

The organization consists of seven speakers, so divided that meetings can be held simultaneously in three cities. There will be mass meetings on the afternoon and evening of Saturday, January 14th, with address by two speakers of the first group. The second group of two speakers will come for afternoon and evening meetings on Sunday, January 15th. On Monday, January 16th, the third group of three speakers will hold afternoon and evening meetings.

The visit to this city is part of a nationwide campaign for law enforcement, civic righteousness and social and industrial justice.

Hon. Oliver Wayne Stewart of Chicago, who speaks with the third group, is in charge of the campaign. He is president of the Flying Squadron Foundation. Among the other speakers are Hon. Frank S. Ruman of Rockford, Ill., formerly a member of the legislature of that state and a well known lecturer and cartoonist; Arthur E. Whitney of Columbus, Ohio, a well known Christian Endeavor leader; Christopher P. Connolly of East Orange, N. J., a lawyer and writer of national reputation; Dr. D. Leigh Colvin of New York City, widely known in educational circles; James H. Woertendyke of Chicago, who has campaigned in all parts of the country; and Rev. Norma C. Brown, of Bloomington, Ill., who is the only woman who ever has served as chaplain of the Illinois senate.

The meetings are to be held in the Second Presbyterian church. All meetings are free and everybody is invited.

No admission will be charged.

## Woman Convicted Of Possessing Illegal Fishing Devices

NEWARK, O., Dec. 3.—Mrs. William Hurzy was convicted in the Helron mayor's court this morning on a charge of violating the state fish and game laws, being the first woman ever convicted under these laws, game pro-

tectors said. She was charged with possessing illegal fishing devices. Arthur Mechin was convicted on the same charge. Both were fined \$25 and costs. They will appeal the case.

Miss Pearl Alteman of St. Mary's, Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. Gus Putzok of Seventeenth street.

The Central L. T. L. met last evening at the home of Paul Cooper, 1828 Eighth street with a large attendance of members and visitors. A feature of the evening was the celebration of the birthdays of four members of the society. Miss Maud Mussetter, Miss Edna Fox, Miss Hannah Reider and Robert Hopkins. The honor guests furnished the refreshments for the evening.

These were arranged on two tables, each table being decorated with two birthday cakes, mounted with the requisite number of candles. The electric lights were turned out and the house lighted with candles. The decorations were red and green in keeping with the holiday season. After a short business session the remainder of the evening was spent in games and music. Mrs. Cooper was assisted during the evening by Mrs. William Reider and Mrs. R. Marcus. Those present included the Misses Edna Fox, Hannah Reider, Maud Mussetter, Avonelle Guilkey, Virginia and Agatha Brooks, Lucile, Adeline and Henrietta Daniels, Louise Horning, Vergie Musetter, Mildred Guilkey, Leola Mackey, Mary Creagans, Thelma and Louise Davis, Helen Cropper, Beulah Scott, Bernice Scott, Goldie Duty, Rosemary Valentine, Paul and Howard Cooper, Robert Hopkins, Harold Eichen, Alva Lunsford, Gerald O'Leary, Harry Foehr, Lester and Ray Davis, Charles Doty, Philip Ruggles, Fred Hill, Owen Musetter, Wanzel Smith and Bernard Duty.

There will be an all day meeting of the Ladies Society, the Home Missionary Society and the Foreign Missionary Society of the Bigelow M. E. church Tuesday, December 6th, at the church. A business meeting of the societies will be held during the morning and all the members. It was announced during the week that the ladies were to bring their own sandwiches, but later arrangements were made to serve all the lunch at the church. A splendid program has been arranged for the afternoon by the hostesses from the different groups.

## Football Results

DETROIT—Score, end of first period: Washington and Jefferson 7, U. of Detroit 0.

TOLEDO—Score end of second period: Malden 0, Waite 7.

DETROIT—Score end of second period: Washington and Jefferson 14, University of Detroit 2.

## To Elect Officers

Members of the Degree of Pachonians are urged to take notice that the election of officers will be held at Monday night's meeting which will start at seven o'clock instead of 7:30.

## Arbuckle

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Miss Rappe Says She Was Intoxicated. Dr. E. E. Russell, who attended Miss Rappe after the alleged injury, testified for the defense that Miss Rappe told him she was "somewhat intoxicated" and "did not know what happened to her."

Arbuckle, himself, was the pivotal witness for the defense. He said at the time he is alleged to have inflicted the injury on Miss Rappe he was actually endeavoring to assist her during a period of illness. He did not know that Miss Rappe was in his room, where the attack was alleged to have taken place, until he found her in pain on the floor of his bath room.

Much medical testimony also was introduced by the defense.

Other witnesses were Al Seman, manager of Miss Rappe's picture interests, for the prosecution, and Fred Fischbach, a friend of Arbuckle, for the defense.

## To Ask Navy To Save Him

UNIONTOWN, PA., Dec. 3.—Solicited here today to die in the electric chair, John Shurilla, who had been convicted of the killing of Joe Greco at Wickhaven, Pa., announced through his counsel that he would ask the good offices of the navy department to intervene on the ground that he had contributed important inventions to the government during the world war. Shurilla was arrested in Pittsburg in 1920, charged with shoplifting, and the police stated that documents found in his effects indicated he had been a spy in the service of Germany during the war. He was turned over to the authorities here on the murder charge and the prosecution at the trial brought evidence to show that the night before he was to be married he killed Greco, robbed him of \$400 and intended to use the money to pay his wedding expenses. Shurilla presented no defense.

## Dance Draws A Large Crowd

Over 45 couples attended the dance held by the degree team of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. last night. A feature of the evening was a surprise waltz with Mrs. Charles Keller and George Schirrmann as the prize winners. Boxes of candy were given as prizes. Journey's orchestra furnished the music. Another dance will be given in two weeks.

## Steamers Aground

SAULT STE MARIE, MICH., Dec. 3.—Efforts to release two steamers aground in upper Lake Huron awaited abatement of the fifty mile gale blowing from the northwest early today. The steel steamer Hydrus, 410 feet long and understood to have a crew of 20 aboard, is aground on Squaw Island near Mackinaw, according to word reaching here by wireless, and the 480 foot steel freighter Philip Munch, which grounded on Holdridge Shoal yesterday, was still hard aground today. The Munch carries a crew of 22.

No details have been received concerning the grounding of the Hydrus, but the Munch is reported out four feet forward.

## Judgment Awarded

Judgment for the sum of \$42.65 was awarded by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday in favor of the Commercial Credit Company against C. W. Brown, Wakefield, in a suit brought on a promissory note. The case was filed through Attorney J. E. Pugh.

## Farmer Sues For Divorce

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Through Attorney Theo. K. Funk the plaintiff further complains that the defendant left him and that her present address is unknown.

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## Marriage Licenses

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Virginia Saunders, colored, 912 Elm street, was divorced from Samuel

Saunders, Columbus, by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Saturday. The wife alleged neglect and cruelty and she told the court that Saunders was a stranger to work, refused to provide for her at any time since she married him in May, 1918, and declared that he relied upon her to support him. George W. Sheppard, attorney for the wife.

## Wife Given Decree

On grounds of willful absence, desertion and infidelity, Lucy Francis, Judge Creek, was granted a decree by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Saturday divorcing her from Homer Francis, telephone hueman now employed at Lexington, Ky., whom she married in December, 1915. The wife was also awarded the custody of their two children.

The divorce suit of Mattie Bell against Dan Bell, both colored, which was partially heard a week ago, was concluded in Common Pleas court Saturday after hearing both sides. Judge Thomas made a finding that neither of the litigants were entitled to the relief prayed for. The court dismissed the lawsuit and sent the parties to prison. Attorney George W. Sheppard represented the wife and Attorney E. G. Millard appeared for Bell.

## New Trial Denied

Judge Thomas Saturday overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of Cora Carmichael against Creighton Cook and others. The title to a farm on the West Side left of the estate of the late Sarah Cook, who died several months ago, was involved in the suit which was recently decided in favor of Creighton Cook, son of the decedent. The case will probably be appealed to the higher court by Attorney George W. Sheppard and Harry W. Miller for Cora Carmichael and other heirs.

## Bonzo Taken to Cincinnati

Louis Bonzo, Scioto Trawl young man, arrested by local officers on a warrant issued from the Municipal court, Cincinnati, charging non-support of his minor child, was taken to the Queen City Saturday by A. M. Brothers, officer of the Ohio Humane Society, who came after the prisoner.

## Wife Makes Denial

The reply of Agnes Fraley, New Boston, to the charges made by her husband, Norman Fraley in his cross petition to her suit for divorce and alimony amounts to a general denial. She stoutly denies the claim of the defendant that he turned over to her during the time they lived together \$10,000 or any sum approaching it and declares that he persistently refused to tell her what he earned. She says that all he did was to pay the grocery bill of from \$15 to \$18 and to give her approximately \$20 each pay day through Attorney Wm. R. Skaggs. She denies the charge that after she had saved up \$1000 Fraley went joy riding with some friends and that by operating his automobile in a reckless manner ran into a telephone pole killing one of the passengers and almost completely wrecking the automobile. She says it took \$500 of this money to repair the car and pay an attorney fee and that an additional \$100 went to be used in defending a brother of the defendant when he became involved in some trouble.

## Auto Thief Returned to Gallipolis

John Van Pelt, 21 years old, of Gallipolis, who confessed following his arrest at Sciotoville yesterday to having stolen the Overland automobile found in his possession, was returned to Gallia Saturday by Deputy Sheriff B. B. Martin, of Gallipolis, and R. M. Tanner, of Rio Grande, owner of the stolen car, who came after the prisoner.

Van Pelt admitted that he stole the car at Rio Grande early yesterday morning and on reaching Sciotoville ran out of gasoline and money and when he made the rounds of ration stores attempting to dispose of the stolen car, he was picked up on suspicion. Then followed the confession and the Gallia county authorities were notified.

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# CONFESSIONS OF A MOVIE STAR

## CHAPTER XLII—MOTHERDEAR DISCUSSES HUTCHESON

As soon as I reached home, I told Motherdear what Hutcheson Coleridge had said to me in the moonlight by the river.

"I felt so sorry for the poor man," I concluded, "but somehow I couldn't let him come near me afterward. He does work hard, you know he does, Motherdear. Isn't it a shame that his wife is so hard to him?"

"I'm not sure she is 'hard,' Miss. You've seen her, you know she's a good, old little woman—quite the temperance type."

"She says she doesn't understand his temperance type. That she's silly and splendidly naïve. And that's what's spoiling his career?"

"Goodness gracious! Did Hutcheson Coleridge dare to spit that stuff to my little girl?"

"I don't know what you mean by 'stuff,' Motherdear. He was awfully in earnest. He said he was sick for a young woman's tender sympathy. Now isn't it a pity, Motherdear, for a wife to neglect her husband like that?"

"No! No! It is not," Motherdear was certainly wrought up about something. "Did that man say much more?"

"He said he'd often been sorry about his marriage. It was a sad mistake. He told me I was not like other girls. I'm so different."

"The—the—old—" Motherdear closed her lips tightly, then changed the subject abruptly.

"Cliss has been to see me. He has told me about his proposals. Poor boy! He has a certain instinct for character-reading. He said to me that my small daughter simply cannot see him anywhere."

"That sounds like a criticism, not a compliment. I must be stupid."

"That is because you made me feel as if I were a going on around me which I was missing. It made me feel as if I were unable to perceive what was perfectly obvious to others. And as if Motherdear were implying that there was something in Hutcheson Coleridge's talk which I had not taken in."

It convinced me that I, myself, had been taken in!

So far in my own experience the morals of the movies hadn't worried me at all. I had been concerned altogether with the morale.

Motherdear said that morale is the spirit with which one meets the difficulties of life and overcomes them. It applied to everybody, everywhere. Some persons have a high morale. They stand up strong and brave whatever they may have to endure. They do not have to be bolstered up.

Tested so, Hutcheson Coleridge was a man of little morale.

He couldn't endure existence with the wife he had picked out for himself. He complained about the mother of his children! And he came to me, a girl not seventeen years old, for sympathy he said he couldn't get from Mrs. Coleridge.

(To be continued)

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# Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Leansville, O.—Dear Miss Wise—Can you please tell me on what day visitors are allowed at the Scott County Children's Home, and could you answer in this column if they have any children under three years of age for adoption.

TIMES READER.

Visitors are welcome at the Home any time during the day, or before the children retire at night, which is usually about 8:30. There are six children about three years of age at the Home for adoption.

Dear Dolly—I saw an article in your column the other night about Kentucky having jurisdiction over the Ohio river and I would like to know if Ohio people hunting on the river have to have a Kentucky or Ohio license. Please explain this fully as I have heard a number of arguments on the subject since the publication of the article.

DUCK HUNTER.

The answer to the question published the other evening saying that Kentucky had jurisdiction over the Ohio river to the low water mark on this side of the river, came from the State Game Warden of Kentucky. However, his opinion differs from the opinion of our own Attorney General John T. Price, who says: "It is clearly settled that the state of Ohio has both civil and criminal jurisdiction over the waters of the Ohio river beyond the territorial limits of the state of Ohio, technically speaking, to wit, the western or northwestern low water mark of said river." He further states that the waters of the Ohio river bordering the state of Ohio are within the jurisdiction of the state of Ohio, and that persons may not, in view of the provisions of Section G. C. Hunt will birds or wild animals on said river, without first having applied for and received a hunter's and trapper's license. In the case of Dickow vs. Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Common Pleas Court, reported in the Ohio Law Reporter for September 13, 1920.

Dear Dolly—Please print a good recipe for cream puffs and coconut pie.

TIMES READER.

Cream Puffs—One cup of hot water, one-half cup of butter, salt together and while boiling stir in one cup of sifted flour. Take from the stove and stir to a thin paste, and after this cools stir in three eggs (beaten). Stir in five minutes. Drop in tablespoons on a buttered tin and bake in a quick oven twenty-five minutes, being careful that they do not touch each other in the pan. This amount will make 12 puffs. Cream puff recipe—One cup milk, one cup sugar, one egg, 3 tablespoons flour, vanilla to flavor. Stir the flour in a little of the milk. Boil the rest. Turn this in and boil until the whole mixture is very thick. This cream will fill into other tart shells and be baked very nice.

Coconut Pie—1 cup milk, 1 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon butter, well-beaten eggs, 1-2 tablespoon flour. Put milk on to boil and stir other ingredients in boiling milk. Beat the two eggs whites to a stiff froth and add two tablespoons of coconut for frosting.

Banana pie can be made with this same recipe by slicing two bananas in pie shell and then pouring the filling over.

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The Parent-Teachers Association of Garfield school will meet Tuesday afternoon December 6th, at 2:30 o'clock at the school. Rev. Charles R. Oakley will deliver a talk. All mothers are invited to be present.

The home of Hugh Schaffer on Long Run was the scene of an old-fashioned Christmas party Thursday evening. After the "shelling" the evening was spent in playing games, after which a delicious hot lunch was served to the Misses Helena Breach, Grace Wymer, Garnet Van Horn, Anna Shaffer, Edna Bremer, Ethel Bennett, Messrs. Hugh Schaffer, Elza Arnold, Harold Sommer, Edward Bruns, Charles Clark, Ned Haylock, Robert Hutchinson, Leslie Haylock, John Peters, Carl Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Shaffer.

Miss Elsie Green of near Minford is staying with her sister, Mrs. Alma Henderson of Twelfth street, who has been seriously ill, but is now out of danger.

The First Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John A. Ives, 1519 Robinson avenue.

Mrs. S. M. Green has returned to her home near Minford, Ohio, after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Henderson. Mrs. Henderson, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

The Ladies' Aid of Long Run are planning to have a quilt sale in the near future.

Mrs. Margaret McChive of 1602 Montad street has returned from Butte, Montana, where she spent the past year with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Jenkins.

Miss Emma Gosler of Glover street has returned from a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Columbus.

Mrs. Houston Williams, who underwent an operation at Schreman hospital three weeks ago, has been removed to her home, 1602 Montad street.

Mrs. Thomas Breach, Mrs. Fred Haffner and Miss Helena Breach have returned to their home on Long Run after a visit with friends in this city.

Miss Anna Mackenbach, St. Mary's, Ohio, a student at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, and Miss Pearl Altemus, also of St. Mary's, were guests of honor at a delightful evening affair arranged last night by Miss Margaret Werner, 916 Gallia street, a cousin of Miss Mackenbach. Miss Werner entertained the members of the T. O. M. Club for the pleasure of her guests.

The evening was spent informally with music and contests and at ten o'clock the guests were ushered into the dining room where a delicious three course supper was served. A novel basket of narcissus formed the centerpiece, while a color scheme of red and green, in keeping with the approaching holiday season, was effectively carried out in all the table appointments. Unique little rose baskets were given as favors.

Places were marked for the following guests: Misses Anna Mackenbach and Pearl Altemus, the honored guests; Margaret Torges, Marie Torges, Bertha Kidman, Mrs. Gus Purzok, Mrs. Ralph Brandel, Mrs. Richard Barber, Miss Selma Wolf, Miss Ethel Koebel, Miss Julia Arboest, Miss Helen Uhl and Miss Alice Major.

The next meeting will be in the nature of a passing party at the home of Mrs. Ralph Brandel on Fifth street.

Miss Eliza Kelly, of Chillicothe, district deputy of the Royal Neighbors, is expected to come here next week to stir up interest in the work in local centers.

Harry Newman of Columbus is expected to come to spend over Sunday with local friends.

Misses Grace and Edith Henry, Gallia avenue, New Boston, had as guests last evening Misses Thelma Smith, Roberta Albaugh and Vashell Smith.

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# CHURCHES

**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH**  
Rev. E. Ainger Powell, Rector  
Corner of Fourth and Court Sts.  
The Second Sunday in Advent.  
No early celebration of the Holy Communion.

Church school at 9:00 a. m.  
Choral celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.  
Evening and sermon 7:00 p. m.  
Subject: "Overflowing With Hope."  
All are free. Everybody welcome.

**MUSIC FOR THE DAY**  
A. M.  
Prelude—Autumn..... Johnson  
Offertorium—Eventide..... Fairclough  
Anthem—Depth of Mercy..... Mendelssohn  
Soloist—Mrs. H. C. High  
Communion Service..... Caleb Simpson  
Postlude..... Steane  
P. M.  
Prelude—Pastorale..... H. J. Storer  
Offertorium—Andante..... Dudley Buck  
Anthem..... There Is a Shepherd  
Junior Choir—Soloist—Mary Eliza  
Junior Hall.  
Postlude—March..... Feschling

**WHEELERSBURG M. E. CHURCH**  
J. A. Kirk, Minister  
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Geo. E. Koch, Supt. We want to go over the 300 mark this Sunday. Will you help us by your presence?  
10:15 a. m.—Morning worship. This service will be the beginning of our revival meetings. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Every member of the church ought to be present to participate in this great service. We invite not only members of our own church but Christian people of any and all denominations are invited to come and enjoy the blessings of the sacramental service.

7:00 p. m.—The regular evening service. The pastor, Rev. H. A. Kirk, will preach at this service. Our new song books have arrived and will be in use at this service. Come and enjoy a good song service.

The service on Monday evening will begin at 7:30 instead of 7:00. All other services of the week beginning at 7:00. Our evangelist, Rev. Guy L. Wilson, will arrive on Monday and will preach each evening throughout the week. Rev. Wilson is generally recognized as one of the leading evangelists of America.

A clever little comedy entitled "The Old Fashioned Alman," was enacted last evening by members of the Helms Club, at the regular meeting at the home of Miss Margaret Ball, 1626 Franklin avenue. Miss Edna Streich was chairman of the entertainment committee. Members taking part in the amusing program were Mrs. Howard Newman and son Jimmie, Mrs. Ralph Streich and daughter Martha Ann, Miss Mary Margaret Fuller, Miss Elsie Cranston, Miss Edna Streich and Mrs. Clem Switslaski. All members of the club came dressed in old-fashioned costumes. Later a delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Clyde Fitch was a guest. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Stella Rowe on Seventh street.

Mrs. W. T. Gray's Sunday School class of Bible church enjoyed a delightful meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. A. D. Trevel, 1118 Fourth street, with Miss Mable Ford as assistant hostess. A short business session was held, after which a guessing contest was held. Mrs. Florence Worrell, Miss Ella Keams and Mrs. C. H. Dorn received prizes, after which a delicious ice cream was served by the hostess to Mrs. W. T. Gray. Mrs. Maurice Hagwood, Mrs. Henrietta Hicks, Mrs. John Hardin, Mrs. E. B. Graham, Mrs. Lee Smith, Mrs. Walter Pearson, Mrs. Florence Worrell, Mrs. C. H. Dorn, the Misses Alice Johnston, Bertha Rodner, Ida Taylor, Ella Keams and Mable Ford, Mrs. Grace Ford was a guest.

The Frances Butler Guild of All Saints' church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Grace Wilhelm on Baird avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bamon will entertain the members of the Portsmouth Reading Club Monday evening at their home on Offshore street.

At the meeting of the Country Club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Sears on Grant street, it was decided to change the name of the club to "Justamere Club." The change was made so as not to conflict with the New Country Club. The members also decided to have a passing party at the home of Mrs. George D. Selby on Friday afternoon, December 10th. Mrs. J. G. Murfin was taken in as a new member.

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# FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Third and Gay Streets  
Chas. R. Oakley, pastor. C. M. Howland, superintendent. Bible school 9 a. m. Communion and preaching at 10:30. Sermon subject: "Gospel-Sense." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Topic: "Thy Will Be Done—With My Plans." Mrs. John R. Williams, leader.

Evening worship at 7. The Woman's Missionary Society will have charge of the evening service. They will put on a missionary program that will be of interest to all. Special music at all services. The general public is invited. Strangers are always welcome.

The newly organized Gospel team from the Loyd Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church have made arrangements to visit the Five Mile Church at their regular Sunday school home on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. This team, which will also include any members of the church who care to go, has been in the process of organization for some time, but this will be their initial trip to any of the surrounding churches. The officers of the society will be on the team and will have part in the program.

The superintendent of the school at the Five Mile church invited the team to come with their program of music and message and leave part in the worship with them and the C. E.'s are very enthusiastic about this venture in spreading the glad tidings.

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Gallia and Walker  
H. Stewart Tills, Pastor  
Bible school 9 a. m. Subject: Paul in Malta and in Rome. Text Acts 28: 1-16. Look for Bible school at 10:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30. Message by Mr. Prescott. Subject: Trouble, its cause and cure.

B. Y. P. U. 6:15. Subject: "The Holy Spirit in Ephesians." Text Eph. 1:13-17. The naming of the spirit, Eph. 1:13-17; the sealing of the spirit, Eph. 1:13; access through the spirit, Eph. 2:18; the indwelling spirit, Eph. 3:16; the unity of the spirit, Eph. 4:3-6; gifts with the spirit, Eph. 4:7-11; the sword of the spirit, Eph. 6:17. Leader Dr. Winchell, Brotherhood 6:15.

Evening message 7:15. Speaker Mr. R. D. Prescott. Subject: "The Second Coming of Christ."

# FIRST UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Corner Seventh and Gay Streets  
E. H. Bailey, Minister  
G. J. Schmidt, Gen. Supt. Sunday School

9:00—Sunday school. A thoroughly organized school with divisions, departments and classes with exercises adaptable to all ages.

10:30—Morning worship. At this hour Mr. and Mrs. Mighery, missionary representatives of the local church, will be dedicated to service in Africa, at the Main Street U. B. church, Newark, Ohio. Special prayers will be offered for their behalf.

The subject for the morning will be "A New, Yet Old Evangelism." As this is the first Sunday of the Boosters' campaign we are expecting a large crowd at the morning service.

6:00—Regular meetings of the Senior and Junior Christian Endeavor Societies. The Senior Endeavorers will meet with the intermediates and Mr. Raymond Muritz will be the leader. Mrs. R. A. Bowser will lead the Prayer and Personal workers' service at close of the Senior Endeavor meeting in the Sunday school room.

7:00—Evening service. Subject, "Paul, the Missionary-Evangelist." From the attendance at the last two Sunday evening services during the discussions on the "Life of St. Paul" we expect a large attendance.

**MUSIC FOR THE DAY**  
Organ—Mrs. Nellie Niswonger, organist.  
Morning—  
Prelude—By Still Waters, J. Horspool.  
Offertory—Solace, Aubrey G. Pease.  
Postlude—Geo. H. Swift.

Evening—  
Prelude—At Sunrise, Roland Diggle.  
Offertory—Processional March, Oscar Verne.  
Vocal—Mrs. E. H. Bailey, choir leader.  
Anthem—God Be Merciful, Heaton.  
Solo—My Faith Looks Up to Thee, Proctor.  
Solo—The Day Is Ended, Bartlett.  
Mrs. E. H. Bailey, with violin obligato by Prof. Mastropolo.

**FRANKLIN AVENUE M. E.**  
Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, pastor  
The Sunday school begins at 9 o'clock a. m. Mr. Frank M. Kiefer, superintendent. Superintendent of primary department, Miss Rose Wendenken. Teacher of Every Man's Class, Judge Harry E. Ball.  
The pastor will preach at 10:30 a. m. on "Temptation." The subject of the evening sermon at 7 o'clock will be "Counting Gain for Loss."  
Mrs. W. F. Staker, the organist, announces the following numbers:  
Prelude and Melody in F by E. M. Read.  
March Moderne, by Edwin Le Mare.  
An Evening Meditation, by Roland Diggle.  
Familiar March, by Roland Diggle.  
Junior Epworth League meeting at 7 p. m.  
Senior and Intermediate Leagues at 6:45.

Meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society on Thursday at 2:15 in the church. Entertaining hostesses will be Mrs. W. F. Staker, Mrs. H. J. Wendelken, Mrs. R. K. Kiefer and Mrs. F. G. Barth. The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet on Thursday afternoon at 2:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. F. L. Marting with Mrs. Ella Duns and Miss Clara Sherman as assisting hostesses. Members are asked to remember the "Thank Offering for this meeting." The official board will meet on Wednesday evening after prayer meeting.

**TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH**  
Wm. C. Millikan, Pastor  
The Sunday school, which meets at nine A. M. will study the lesson, "Paul's Ministry in Rome." Fine class fellowship awaits all who come. At the morning worship Dr. Jonathan H. Luck will preach the sermon, "The Pilgrims of the Night," with a solo by Miss Bessie Mick, and a solo "Closer Still With Thee," by Mrs. William F. Quinn.

The Young People will meet in the devotional service at 6:30 p. m. using the topic, "Thy will be done with my plans," Matt. 6:10. The leader will be Howard Kigas.

At the evening worship the pastor will preach "We Would See Jesus." The special music will be, an anthem, "There is an hour of peace, full rest," with solo by Mrs. J. H. Hahn and a solo, "Held low, dear Lord," by Mrs. W. W. Henderson.

The public is cordially invited to worship here.

# MANLY M. E. CHURCH

A. T. Cyfers, Superintendent  
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In Sunday school we are about to finish an interesting course of study relative to Paul's missionary journeys. When it is done we will take up a course nine months in length in Old Testament history which will be followed by six months study of the New Testament. All of this ought to be interesting to Sunday school scholars. Why not enroll for these months and become a Bible scholar. Sunday school at 9:00 a. m.

Junior League at 1:30. Here is where the little fellows enjoy themselves. The meeting is their very own. Fontella Warman is the leader.

Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. Subject: "Thy Will Be Done—With My Plans." Julia Hemphill is the leader. Public services 10:15 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Morning topic: "Primitive and Perfected Man."  
Evening—"The Man of Bethesda." The Columbia male chorus will sing two selections at the evening service.

**BEGELOW M. E. CHURCH**  
C. E. Chandler, Pastor  
563 Washington Street  
Sunday school 9 a. m.  
Our new song-books have arrived. A fine collection. Come and help sing. Morning worship 10:30 a. m.  
Subject of sermon, "Christian Cooperation."

Evening worship 7 p. m. Study of 23rd Psalm.

**MUSIC FOR THE DAY**  
Mrs. S. B. Timmonds, Organist  
MORNING  
Voluntary—Memories—Demarest.  
Anthem—More Than Conquerors—Wilson.  
Offertory—Ave Maria—Schubert.  
Solo—Miss Staiger.

EVENING  
Voluntary—Evensong—Lockwell.  
Offertory—Andante (Pastorale)—Alexis.  
The Christmas Cantata, "The Holy Infant," by Billard is being rehearsed diligently by our choir. It will be given on Christmas night.

Church of Christ  
Robinson Ave., near Franklin Ave.  
SUNDAY MEETINGS  
Bible school at 9:20 a. m. Lesson 12th chapter of 2 Corinthians. Come and share with us in the good wholesome food that is brought forth out of these lessons that is for the soul.  
Preaching and communion at 10:30. Subject "The End of the Commandment."  
Preaching at 7 p. m. You are invited to come and meet with us.

**FIRST EVANGELICAL**  
Fifth and Washington Streets  
S. Lindemeyer, Pastor  
Sunday school at nine o'clock. W. C. Hazlock, superintendent. Come and help us and let us help you.  
Morning worship at ten-thirty. Subject of sermon: "A Peculiar Treasure."  
Music—Morning  
Andante Cantabile..... Coerne  
Anthem—"The Lord Reigneth"..... Williams  
Soloist—Mr. Lorey  
Offertory—Berenice..... Nerula  
Duet—"Palm Tree, Pear Tree"..... Smart  
Mrs. P. R. Brooks, Mrs. Honse  
Postlude..... Sheppard  
Evening worship at seven. Subject of sermon: "Hunger to Others."

**MUSIC—EVENING**  
Prelude—Vesper..... Vava  
Anthem—"But They That Wait"..... Williams  
Offertory—Andante..... Sheppard  
Solo—"The Lord Is My Strength"..... J. A. Michel  
Mr. Arthur Kuehmann  
Postlude—Andante..... Diggle  
Ladies' Aid at 2:00 o'clock.  
Junior League at 1:30.  
Senior League at 6:15. Leader, Helen Grassman. Topic: "Thy Will Be Done With My Plans."

**SECOND PRESBYTERIAN**  
Hugh Ivan Evans, Minister  
Bible school, 9 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Theme, "The Happiness of Home."  
Senior and Young Peoples Christian Endeavor, 6:15 p. m. Subject, "Thy Will Be Done With My Plans."  
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m. Subject, "The Miracle of Grace."

**MUSIC**  
—A. M.—  
Organ Prelude—Romance. Sheppard.  
Anthem—"Grace Be Still, O God!"  
Pastor's Choir.  
Offertory—Caprice, Liszt.  
Solo—Oh, Divine Redeemer, Mrs. James D. Williams.  
Postlude in C—Rousseau.  
—P. M.—  
Organ Prelude—Even Song, Rockwell.  
Anthem—Hear My Cry: Oh, Father, soloist, M. J. Ringles.  
Offertory—Spring Song, Rolfe.  
Solo—Open the Gates of the Temple, William Wyllie Young.  
Postlude—Concluding Voluntary by Leybach.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Third and Court Streets  
D. C. Boyd, Minister  
MORNING  
9:30 a. m. Bible school. A completely graded school, with a class for every age. Adult classes for men and women. These adult classes have been recently experiencing a phenomenal growth. A warm welcome awaits you.

10:30 a. m. Morning sermon by the Rev. John C. Jackson, D. D.

6:00 p. m. Senior Society of Christian Endeavor. The officers will be in charge of this meeting. It will be a consecration meeting, the subject being, "God's Will Be Done with My Plans." A cordial welcome to all young folks.

7:00 p. m. Evening sermon by Rev. J. C. Jackson, D. D.

**LUCASVILLE M. E. CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9 a. m. Carl Appel, Supt.  
Public Worship, 10 a. m. Sermon by the Pastor, "Loving or Listening."  
Epworth League, 6:15 p. m.  
Public worship, 7 p. m. Topic of sermon, "A Hungry Crowd."

Thursday, Dec. 8th, Ladies' Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Appel.  
Friday, Dec. 9th, adjourned meeting of the First quarterly conference of the church. All the membership is invited.

**THE CHURCH AT THE TERMINALS**  
Poplar St., One Square From Gallia  
R. S. Balesger, Pastor  
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. There were 90 present last Sunday. Let's go over the 100 mark next Sunday. The subject of the Sunday school sermon will be "Living Gospels."

Evening services at 7 o'clock. The pastor will preach on "The Good Shepherd." Everybody is welcome.

**SCOTTSVILLE M. E. CHURCH**  
W. A. Moore, Pastor  
Sunday morning, 9 a. m.—Preaching service; subject, "Fellowship With God." This will be a brief service with the Sunday school to follow.  
Sunday evening, 7 p. m.—Preaching service; subject, "Moral Obligations." This is the final service in this series. Many people were impressed with the singing of the new hymns. They will have charge of this service and we are assured of splendid music.

Monday evening, 7 p. m.—Annual meeting of the Sunday school board and election of officers for the coming year. As this is very important we urge all to be present.

Tuesday afternoon, 2 p. m.—The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Ora Word.  
Tuesday evening, 7 p. m.—Bible Study class, Chapters 8 and 9.  
Wednesday evening, 7 p. m.—Regular prayer service.

Thursday afternoon, 2 p. m.—Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. John Williams. Just to remind you of the future, The Ladies' Aid supper and fair on Thursday, December 15th.  
Evangelistic services, Jan. 1 to 15. Miss Bess Work of Circleville will have charge of the music.

**KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST**  
W. H. Bishop, Pastor  
9:00 a. m. Sunday school meets. Our attendance has been fine of late, but we are not satisfied. We want you, too. We are especially interested in the men. A. K. Wheeler, superintendent.  
10:00 a. m. Deacons' prayer service in the vestry.  
10:15, morning worship. Pastor's theme: "Busy Bees and Busy Bodies." Children's sermon subject: "Railroad Lights." We will celebrate the Lord's Supper at this service, and give the right hand of fellowship to several new members.  
6:00 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. meets. Roscoe Cooper, president. Subject, "Thy Will Be Done With My Plans." Group No. 1 leads.  
7:00 p. m. Gospel Service in charge of Rev. L. N. Kayser. This service will be the first of a week's series of special meetings for which we have a long time planned. Rev. L. N. Kayser will preach at 7:15 p. m. every evening except Saturday. Come.



## In News Again

the city, will be tendered a handsome gift with Judge N. B. Gilliland, making the presentation speech. Rev. Oakley has been an active worker in the local camp and he is held in the highest esteem by the lodge members for his efforts in the past year. Rev. Oakley will deliver the memorial address of the lodge. The Woodmen will have short services at the opening and close of this special service.

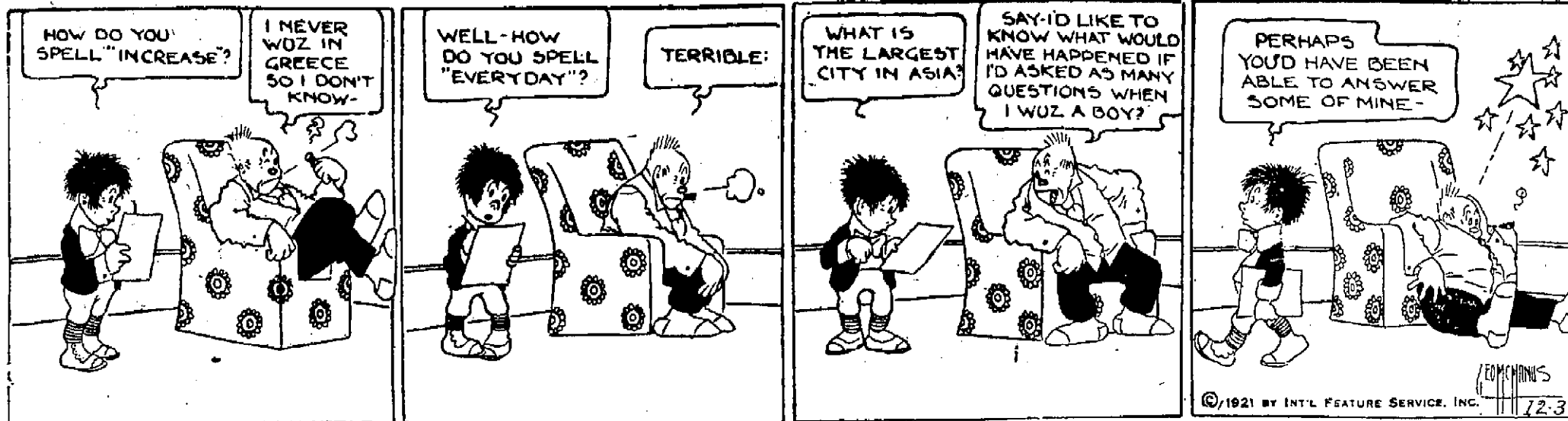
Members of Delta Camp, Royal Neighbors, served a fine banquet at the lodge for the business meeting. On the menu were scalloped oysters, escalloped potatoes, sandwiches, celery, pickles, ice cream and cake, coffee and cigars.

Two candidates, Homer Gasele and Charles Bush, were initiated at the meeting and ten applications for membership were received.

ing files, have not yet been tabulated.



## BRINGING UP FATHER



## JACOB HOBSTETTER ELECTED COMMANDER

Jacob Hobstetter was elected Commander of Portsmouth Spanish War Veterans last night when the members elected officers for the coming year. The election was followed by a discussion of plans for the coming year's campaign of Spanish War Veterans to be held in Portsmouth in June. The members realize that they will have to start work early in order to complete all details of entertainment for the big meeting which will bring several thousand visitors here from all sections of the state. The elections last night resulted as follows:

Commander—Jacob Hobstetter.  
Sr. Vice Commander—Edward Zeck.  
Jr. Vice Commander—Andrew Foster.  
Trustees—F. E. Holz, James Boren. The staff officers will be appointed when the new Commander takes his office. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January.

## MEET TO DRAFT CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

CHICAGO, December 3.—The annual meeting of the Western Conference of athletic directors and coaches in the various college sports opened here today with formulation of the 1922 schedule being given paramount consideration. Few changes are expected in the football schedules of the eleven which finished at the top of the percentage column last fall. Iowa, the 1921 champion, is seeking games with the stronger teams, and former opponents of Minnesota are talking over the arrangement of games with the Gophers earlier in the season. For the last three years Minnesota teams have made a showing which has been disappointing to their followers. Chicago and Ohio State, it is indicated, may have virtually the same schedules as last year and few changes are expected in the Wisconsin series. Notre Dame is here looking for conference games, but no indication has been made of the teams they will offer to play.

## Oh Yes! Shannon Was Here Alright

The Times scribe quotes us, covering our reference to Shannon, Woggy naggy block. That's the way the Jan delegate to the arms conference told the reporters that they could quote anything he said. The above concerns Shannon, Pete, and you may feel free to use all or any part of it. No use admitting that Shannon was at Portsmouth. He was so apparent that words would be superfluous.

## East St. Louis To Be Here In Spring

Captain James Robinson, of the patrol excursion steamer East St. Louis, was in the city Friday booking excursions for the boat out of here in the spring. He was accompanied here by his advance agent and they left last night for Huntington, Gallipolis and other up river points.

## Twenty Four Years Ago

Mrs. Robert Dodge is visiting friends at Harrisonville. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carson returned from a visit at Chillicothe yesterday. Charles P. Reiniger arrived in the city this afternoon to spend New Year's.

## Back From Cleveland

Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, pastor of Franklin Avenue M. E. church, is home from Cleveland, where he attended a meeting of the Ohio District Ministerial Association.

## Back From Columbus

Chris Malavazos is home from a business trip to Columbus.

## Eagles and Vultures.

The main difference between the eagle and that group of birds known as vultures is that the former will attack living things, while the latter will not. In other respects, the eagle is not far removed from vultures in either structure or disposition.

## Brilliant Hard Candies

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## WHAT IS THE LOWER CRITICISM?

By John Collins Jackson

The cry and cry of the conservatives is almost altogether against the higher criticism. Not once in a hundred times is there any mention of the lower criticism. In fact it is doubtful if the majority of those who denounce criticism know the difference between them, or that there even is such a thing as lower criticism. But it is something which has troubled people to hear the former bandoned. It sounds like loyalty to the faith of our fathers. At a District Conference near here, less than 15 years ago, the District superintendent was so ill informed, and so infatuated with the idea that it is righteous to speak against modern knowledge, that he exposed himself as follows. He narrated the case of a man who had been a drunkard and a gambler, whose dissipation led him to the brink of suicide. Before committing the deed, however, he picked up a Bible which the order of Gileads had placed in the hotel. Reading it, he was led to repentance, and was gloriously converted right then and there. "Now," said this assumed scholar and judge, "I should like to know how higher criticism would account for that?" Sure enough! And how would it account for it? How would it account for the fact that the world's most magnificent table account for it? There is just as much sense in these questions as in the last. But he was too ignorant to know that criticism, higher or lower, is in no way related to expensiveness of the heart. It is altogether an intellectual matter. We have said that this is in itself that responsible office was ignorant. That does not sound well. We hate to say it. It seems like hurling an epithet. But it is a fact, nevertheless. The blunder would have been excusable in a layman. It is not expected that the laity should keep up in ecclesiastical learning. But it is undoubtable in one who is appointed to the holy office of a teacher and a preacher. It is his business to know the truth. Criticism is merely a method of discovering the truth about the books of the Bible. It existed centuries before it received this name, or became a well-established science. Man's meager knowledge of the sidereal heavens preceded astronomy. The curative value of certain herbs was known before there was a materia medica. Just so every thoughtful, studious reader of the Bible has always been, unconsciously, a critic, higher or lower, sometimes both, in his silent act of judging or investigating the exact nature and purpose of the original words of scripture. If he said to himself, "This must be a figurative expression," or, "This must have been written after the Exile," or, "The author of this was probably a priest,"—in all of these ways he was a germinal higher critic. That is the name now of the art for discovering when, where, by whom, and for what end, and of what literary form, each book or chapter or verse was written. But if he discovered that a sentence was evidently misplaced, or some words left out, or other words added, or any other change from what must naturally have been the original way of putting it—that was lower criticism. These are arbitrary, technical terms, conveying nothing of evil intention or pretense of superiority, in their meaning.

## Association Is Formed At Holy Redeemer Will Take Up All Branches Of Athletics

The men's meeting last evening at the Holy Redeemer school hall was well attended. Every man present was enthusiastic in appreciation and praise for the valuable advice and encouragement so kindly and generously rendered by William J. Montavon in his brilliant eloquence and forcible address. The speaker only impressed the men with a new sense of responsibility not only as individuals, married men or fathers, but as true Americans to their boys and girls. The high stress upon the importance and advantages which well regulated athletic games play in developing and building up moral character so necessary to every American, no matter what his walk in life may be. A sound mind in a sound body are only useful, valuable and successful when connected with a moral character, which alone is able to translate the doctrine of right into action which makes and preserves the home and republic—the best American citizen is he who fearlessly serves God, home and country.

In the second place he was highly pleased to learn that the men of Holy Redeemer parish were back of a movement to promote Catholic unity and action. The highest moral test of religion is to bring about social conditions among local Catholics which means so much for the welfare of the church and the community of Portsmouth. In the Catholic church there is such a thing as nationality or individual ambition. The action of the individual may be the very best, but it is itself incapable to cope with concentrated powers of evil. Only Catholic faith is successful only when translated into compact, efficient

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In Western Conference recognition, Captain Myers, end, Noel Workman, quarterback, and Johnny Shurt, half back, have been accorded honors.

## Back From Cleveland

Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, pastor of Franklin Avenue M. E. church, is home from Cleveland, where he attended a meeting of the Ohio District Ministerial Association.

## Back From Columbus

Chris Malavazos is home from a business trip to Columbus.

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lump coal, none better. \$7 per ton;  
West Va. Egg coal, \$8.50 per ton;  
Prompt delivery to any part of the  
city. The Portsmouth Ice & Coal  
Co., Phone 140. 10-26-11

**FOR SALE**—Saxon Six, 5 passenger  
touring car. Bargain. Phone 1504.  
11-24-41

**FOR SALE**—Buick roadster in first-  
class condition. All new tires. Jew-  
eler J. F. Carr. 11-28-41

**FOR SALE**—5 room cottage. Bath,  
gas, electricity, garage. Less than  
\$5,000. Phone 1674-Y. 3-41

**FOR SALE**—Springs for automobiles.  
Phil. Jacobs, Auto Supplies, 737  
Third. 3-11

**FOR SALE**—Pure Honey. New  
strained clover honey, five pounds  
\$1.50 by parcels post prepaid. Sat-  
isfaction guaranteed. Roy Beckett,  
45 Mt. Pleasant, Ft. Thomas, Ky. 3-31

**FOR SALE**—Or Trade for Farm—5  
room house, 2 porches, cellar, gas,  
outbuildings, big lot. J. D. Correll,  
Sciotoville. 3-31

**FOR SALE**—150 acres. Will trade  
for home in city with clear title.  
70 acres level, 15 acres orchard, two  
roads of coal. Bargain. Phone  
2545-R. Salzer and Colburn. 1-41

**FOR SALE**—Bedroom suite and two  
rockers. 536 2nd. 11-25-41

**FOR SALE**—Special any day: Cham-  
pion X Spark Plug, 55c; Porcelain,  
30c. Everything for the auto. West  
End Supply Co., 715 Market St. Open  
evenings. 11-25-41

**FOR SALE**—A farm of 118 1/2 acres,  
five miles from Winchester, Ohio, on  
pike near school, two sets of build-  
ings, 21 1/2 acres in corn and 21 in  
the other, well irrigated; will sell  
or trade. A bargain for some one  
that is interested. Inquire of Col-  
lins and Shriver, Winchester, Ohio.  
10-22-41

**FOR SALE**—Bungalow, 6 rooms, bath,  
electricity, side drive, garage, large  
lawn, splendid condition, good  
location. Very small payment down,  
balance easily arranged. Phone 2305  
or 1474-Y. 10-17-41

**FOR SALE**—Or Trade—5 passenger  
touring car. Call 1504-X. 3-31

**FOR SALE**—5 acres good land, new  
buildings. Edge of Sciotoville. \$500  
down or less. Possession at once.  
Read Ingersoll. 810 Chilliocothe.  
Phone 200. 12-1-11

**FOR SALE**—Water power washing  
machine. Boss make, fine condition.  
107 Berlin avenue. 2-21

**Winter Is Here**  
Keep Comfortable  
**Burn Red Jacket Coal**  
West Virginia Finest Coal  
Honest weight, no shams, no  
kicks

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Phone 29  
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Also Portsmouth

**THE MARKETS**  
**NEW YORK STOCKS**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Price ten-  
dencies at the opening of today's stock  
market were uncertain, although week  
end covering of short contracts in  
steels, equipments and shippings was  
evident. General Electric, American  
Locomotive, Republic and Lackawanna  
Steels, American Smelting, Mercantile  
Marine, American International  
and Transcontinental Oil were higher  
by large fractions to 2 points. Coalters,  
chemicals and non-dividend paying  
rails also strengthened. The only stocks  
to show distinct selling pressure were  
specialties of the types represented by  
Central Leather and Liggett-Meyers.

On the usual industrial list  
furnished the bulk of today's  
broad but irregular dealings in the  
stock market, rails being relegated to  
the backroom. Standard Oil of N. J.,  
General Asphalt and Transcon-  
tinental Oil, General Electric, Inter-  
national Harvester and Independent  
steels, particularly Republic and Lack-  
awanna, scored sharp gains of 1 to  
almost 5 points. Shippings also were  
active and strong in connection with  
weekly reports from Washington. In-  
dustrial Alcohol, International Paper  
and Union Bag led the stronger spec-  
ulations. The closing was firm with  
sales approximating 350,000 shares.  
In the bond market liberty and victory  
issues continued to strengthen, with a  
firm tone to the general list.

**CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK**  
CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Cities Service  
common 2 1/8% 22 1/4.  
Do preferred 45% 45 1/2.  
Pure Oil common 37 1/2.

## NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 28  
American Can 32 1/2  
American Car 32 1/2  
American Locomotive 97 1/2  
American Smelting and Refg 43 1/2  
American Submarine 32 1/2  
American T. and T. 11 1/2  
Auriferous Copper 46 1/2  
Atchafalca 30 1/2  
Atlantic Gulf 32  
Baldwin Locomotive 94 1/2  
Baltimore and Ohio 37 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel 37 1/2  
Central Leather 30 1/2  
Chesapeake and Ohio 37 1/2  
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 23  
Coca-Cola 88 1/2  
Crescent 65 1/2  
General Motors 10 1/2  
Great Northern Ore 67 1/2  
Goodyear 32 1/2  
Int. Mer. Marine 67 1/2  
International Paper 52 1/2  
Kendall Copper 25 1/2  
Mexican Petroleum 11 1/2  
New York Central 75 1/2  
Norfolk and Western 58 1/2  
Northern Pacific 81 1/2  
Pure Oil 37 1/2  
Pennsylvania 34 1/2  
Reading 73 1/2  
Rep. Iron and Steel 54 1/2  
Shenandoah and Refining 22 1/2  
Southern Railway 50 1/2  
Standard Oil Corporation 77 1/2  
Standard Oil of Ind. 45 1/2  
Tobacco Products 58 1/2  
Union Pacific 120 1/2  
United States Rubber 50 1/2  
United States Steel 84 1/2  
Utah Copper 50 1/2  
Westinghouse Electric 49 1/2  
Wills-Overland 5

## Chicago Grain And Provisions

**CHICAGO GRAIN**  
CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Wheat started  
from 1/2 to a cent lower on the Chi-  
cago.

**FOR RENT**—4 rooms and bath. 1011  
11th street. Phone 2153 or 407. 5-31

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room. Mod-  
ern. Central. 626 6th. 11-30-41

**FOR RENT**—Two light housekeeping  
rooms. 1010 Gallia. 11-27-41

**FOR RENT**—Flat. Phone 1307-L. 11-25-41

**FOR RENT**—Modern 6 room house,  
furnished. Furnace. Inquire 428  
Waller. Phone 367. 11-24-41

**FOR RENT**—4 room flat with bath.  
Phone 688-R. 1914 10th. 11-17-41

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms. Phone  
1253-R. 12-2

**FOR RENT**—3 unfurnished rooms.  
724 7th. 11-30-41

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room. 210 1/2  
16 1/2 street. Inquire 919 8th. 11-29-41

**FOR RENT**—Sleeping room. 507  
Washington. 11-28-41

**FOR RENT**—Sleeping room. Over  
Arvada Theatre, Seventh and Chillicothe  
streets. 11-27-41

**FOR RENT**—2 furnished light house-  
keeping rooms. 822 Chilliocothe. 10-24-41

**FOR RENT**—6 room house, bath and  
electricity. Phone 2084-X. 11-16-41

**FOR RENT**—Furnished light house-  
keeping rooms. All conveniences.  
529 3rd. 11-28-41

**FOR RENT**—Furnished housekeeping  
rooms. Bath. 1630 5th. 11-28-41

**FOR RENT**—Garage. 507 Washing-  
ton. 11-29-41

## LOST

**LOST**—Brown and white bull dog  
leash tag 294. Phone 2584-X. Re-  
ward. 3-1

**LOST**—821 in hills Friday night at  
K. of L. hall or between there and  
Win Nye's drug store, where we got  
on car. Probably on car. Phone  
1145-X. Reward. 5-21

**LOST**—Reward and no questions asked  
for return of bookish, overcoat  
taken last night from coat room of  
the Winter Garden. Return to 1517  
Fourth St. 12-1

**LOST**—Pair of ladies' shell rimmed  
glasses between Chilliocothe Street  
and Trinity church on Gallia. Phone  
2572-L. Reward. 48th High St. 2-21

**LOST**—Purple silk umbrella with  
leather sport handle. Finder please  
1359-R or 146. Reward. 2-21

**LOST**—Brown velvet collar. Phone  
1517-L. 2-21

**Hikers**  
  
**OBITUARY**  
**William Weidner Funeral**  
Funeral services for J. William Weidner who passed away at his home 530 Fifth street, about four o'clock Thursday morning, were held this afternoon at two o'clock with Rev. D. C. Lloyd of the First Presbyterian church in charge of the services. Burial in Greenhawn.

**James P. Hurley**  
Death claimed James P. Hurley, 73, about seven o'clock Friday morning at the home of relatives at McDermott after a lingering illness of hardening of the arteries. The greater part of his life had been spent in Scioto county and he had many friends especially in the vicinity of McDermott, who will regret his passing.

He was born in Pike county, Ky., November 4, 1848 but came to Scioto county in early manhood. He was married in this county to Eliza Bell McDanielis who passed away several years ago.

He is survived by three sons and four daughters, James A. and Charles W. of McDermott, John M. of Portsmouth, Mrs. Alice Neurot, Mrs. Charlotte Chinn and Mrs. Roscoe Dotts of Portsmouth and Mrs. Jennie Miller of Olway. He also leaves one brother, John T. Hurley of Columbus and two sisters, Mrs. Comfort Dillon, West Side, and Mrs. Sallie Baileys of Amesville, and 24 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held from Rushdown Baptist church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock with burial in the Rushdown cemetery.

**Henry Geis Funeral**  
Funeral services for Henry Geis who died at his home, 1529 North street, Thursday morning, were held from the home this afternoon at two o'clock, with Rev. Samuel Lindemeyer in charge of the services. Mr. Geis was a veteran of the Civil war and a member of Valley Post No. 1, A. R. The veterans took part in the services. Burial in Greenhawn.

**Elliott Garfinger**  
Mr. Elliott Garfinger, whose recent death brought sorrow to his numerous friends in this city, had resided in Detroit for a number of years. During his stay in that city he became a member of the Ashbury Church Men's Glee, one of the largest and most efficient men's glee clubs in that city. The following memorial verse has been written by this class and dedicated to his memory:

**In Memory of Elliott Garfinger**  
Not at evening when the sun has gone  
Beyond the mountain's crest  
And the cold gray streaks of twilight  
Gather slowly in the west.  
But at the dawning of his manhood  
While his sun still brightly shone,  
God has called away our brother to his  
Everlasting home.

Called from his earthly labors,  
From his sorrow and his pain,  
From the breaths of those who loved  
him through the sunshine and the rain.  
To a land of joy and gladness—our  
great, bright eternal day,  
Where no sorrow ever enters, and all  
tears are wiped away.  
Thou our hearts today are subdued,  
And the tears bedim our eyes,  
Thou another chair is vacant, yet some-  
day beyond the sky,  
We shall meet again our brother and  
we'll know and understand,  
Where there is no separation in a  
bright and better land.  
3-1—Advertisement

**THE MOVIES**  
  
**BERT LYTELL**  
**The MAN WHO**  
Tonight, Last Time at the Eastland Theatre, Metro Presents Bert Lytell, The Popular Favorite in his new Picture, "The Man Who" Taken from the Saturday Evening Post Story, The Romance of a Barbed Wire Foot 130 for Fame. Also Showing Jimmy Aubrey Comedy.

Not since John Drew was in his prime on the legitimate stage has the theatre seen a light comedy performance given with a savvy and finesse that distinguished Bert Lytell's screen appearance last night at the Eastland Theatre in "The Man Who," an adaptation by Arthur Zeller of Lloyd Osbourne's Saturday Evening Post story. As Boddy Mills, the man who tries to break the shoe trust by starting a hosiery movement in the social world, Mr. Lytell was a source of constant joy to the discriminating. He obtained his effects with economy of method and subtle artistic restraint, but the effect stirred the risibilities of the audience, which greeted the production with gurgling enthusiasm. Mr. Lytell made of Boddy a lovable human being, poignant in his moments of tenderness.

"The Man Who" is a Maxwell Karger production for Metro, and never has Mr. Karger directed a performance that was more finely done down to the smallest detail. Such well-known stars as Lucy Cotton and Virginia Valli appeared in Mr. Lytell's support. Miss Cotton ravishly beautiful as the New York alibi for whom Boddy tries to become a Man Who, and Miss Valli adorable as the show magnate's daughter.

**Produce Markets**  
**CLEVELAND PRODUCE**  
CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Live poultry:  
Heavy fowls 23 1/2 to 26. Live geese 23 1/2 to 26.  
Potatoes: Fancy western 4 cents a pound.

**CHICAGO PROVISIONS**  
CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Butter lower; creamery extras 45c; first 38 1/2 to 43c; second 33 1/2 to 38c; standards 38c.  
Eggs unchanged; receipts 1,725 cases.

**GASOLINE & ALCOHOL**  
CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Alcohol, de-  
natured 43c; gasoline tank wagon 23c;  
seventy per cent 32c.

**COTTON**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Spot cotton  
quiet; middling 17.50.  
Cotton futures closed steady; Dec.  
17.50; Jan. 17.30; Mar. 17.30; May  
17.10; July 16.90.

**LIBERTY BONDS**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Liberty bonds  
closed: 3 1/2% 96 1/2; first 4 1/2% 97 1/2; second 4 1/2% 97 1/2; third 4 1/2% 98; fourth 4 1/2% 98 1/2; victory 4 1/2% 98 1/2.

**COFFEE**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Coffee: Rio  
No. 7, 9-10; Santos steady; Mar.  
8-18; July 8-14.

**SUGAR**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Sugar futures  
closed steady; approximate sales 700  
tons; Jan. 21 1/2; Mar. 21 1/2; May 21 1/2;  
July 21 1/2.

**NEW YORK, Dec. 3.**—The sugar  
market was quiet. Prices unchanged.  
257 1/2 to 4 1/2 for centrifugal. Raw  
futures quiet.  
Refined unchanged. Refined futures  
unchanged.

**Trees Covered With Shell Dust.**  
Whole forests may be seen coated  
with shell substances on the con-  
tinent of New Holland. These encrusta-  
tions are supposed to arise from de-  
compositions of shellfish, which,  
transported by the winds, are de-  
posited in the form of dust on trees  
and plants.

**Crucifixion.**  
Crucifixion was a mode of execution  
common among the Assyrians, Egyptians,  
Persians, Carthaginians, Greeks  
and Romans. King Artabanus I. of  
Cappadocia, Asia Minor, aged eighty,  
after being vanquished by the Per-  
sians, was discovered among the pris-  
oners. He was strayed alive and nailed  
to a cross, when eighty-two, with his  
principal officers in the year 322 B. C.

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**A Double Miss.**  
"I shall miss you while you are on  
your hunting trip, dear," murmured  
his young wife, affectionately; "and  
I shall pray that the man you are  
going with will do the same."—Foster  
Transcript.

**NEW BOSTON M. E.**  
L. C. Watts, Pastor  
Singing school opens at 9 a. m. Who  
sings? you not be the 200th one per-  
cent.

For a worship at 10 a. m. So  
new subject, "Breathless."  
The Junior League is growing fast  
and invites you to come at 2 p. m.  
At 6 p. m. the first Epworth League  
at 7 p. m. organized in New Boston  
will hold its first session. All who wish  
to be enrolled as charter mem-  
bers. All young people cordially in-  
vited to attend.

At 7 p. m. the pastor will preach  
the "Day of Preparation." This  
subject is of special interest to  
young people.



# If You Had Only 25 Cents in the World---

**J**UST suppose, for the sake of example, you were down and out--down to the last quarter--how would you spend that quarter?

"Buy something to eat," you might reply. But would that be the best way to spend the quarter?

Think a moment. You could always find someone to give you something to eat. Driven to it, you could find a place to sleep without cost.

But could you get other quarters as easily as that? Did you ever start out on a door to door hunt for a job?

The best use to which you could put your last quarter would be to use it as capital--to start it hunting for a job for you--to invest it in a Tested Want Ad.

Then that quarter would return hundreds of times over.

This example is extreme. But it illustrates an important fact--the vital importance of the Want Ad. Want ads will come to your help when all else has failed.

Don't let your capital run down to the last quarter. If you're out of a job--or merely thinking of changing your work invest in a Tested Want Ad.

Tell the hundreds that are looking for workers about your ability, what you can do.

And then pick a position from the replies that come from your advertisement.

The best thing you could do would be to start it after other quarters--Tested Want Ad--something like this for instance: "WANTED, odd jobs for capable, dependable, industrious, all round worker. Reply Box 00, The Times."

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# NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

## JACKSON

Mrs. David Armstrong spent a part of this week in Columbus, returning home Friday evening.

Mrs. Tullie Howell and son, Davis, returned to her home in Cincinnati on Wednesday, accompanied by other members of the family.

Mrs. Clyde Dungan of Dayton is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward.

Miss Lucy Jones accompanied by William Johnson went down to Cincinnati on Friday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Niles Howell.

Mrs. Edwin Jones was in Columbus the past week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Miller. Mrs. Miller is improving after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Reed Powell was the victim of a surprise on last Tuesday, arranged by her husband. At noon she was the guest of Mrs. Clara Baldrige at the Gibson House. Later Mrs. S. E. Stephenson joined them and they went to Mrs. Powell's home to spend the afternoon and were greeted by a number of lady friends. The afternoon was devoted to a luncheon, followed by a delicious lunch. Mrs. Powell had the capable assistance of Mrs. Hiram Smith in all of the arrangements.

Mrs. H. A. Lloyd returned to her home in Portsmouth on Friday morning after several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Miller.

The Pythian Sisters will have an indoor picnic at their lodge room on the evening of December 6th. Each member is asked to bring her lunch. The coffee will be served at the rooms.

A class of boys of the Methodist Sunday school, taught by Mr. Quiller Scott held a class party in the church parlors on Thursday evening. Each young man was allowed the privilege of inviting a young lady. During the evening contest games were played and refreshments served.

On last Tuesday Mrs. E. B. Gray of the Naff Mill Addition had the misfortune to fall and break one of her legs. Her husband and three of the children are down with diphtheria, which makes the accident all the more sad. There are three other children in the family, the youngest being three weeks old.

A series of meetings will begin at the Baptist church on Sunday morning which will run until the 18th, with Mrs. Margaret Bryan Geary as the evangelist. Mrs. Geary has been here before and will no doubt be cordially received.

The bazaar of the Christian church is in progress at the store room of the Farrar Monumental Works, corner Main and Church streets.

Mrs. Anna Meacham Wood from near Cincinnati is in Jackson for a few days visit here and at Mt. Zion, her old home.

Mr. Jess Bates returned to Hylzer hospital at Gallipolis on Friday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pfannoff and son Billy. The latter will be operated on for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids. Mrs. Pfannoff will stay with Billy until he has fully recovered from the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Martin and children, Carl and Edna, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boylan of Coalton.

## WEST UNION

Fannie E. Nixon was granted a divorce from Clarence J. Nixon on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. She was also restored to her maiden name, Fannie Wamsley. A. C. Turnipseed attorney for plaintiff.

West Union High School team played Cherry Fork at the West Union gymnasium on Wednesday evening. The game was hotly contested, resulting in a tie in succession. West Union at last came out victors.

On their way to West Union to attend the basketball game Wednesday evening a car driven by Prof. Milligan of the North Liberty schools, and occupied by a number of young men, was overturned in some manner and badly wrecked. The accident occurred on the new State Highway lately constructed by the Milligan-McMann Construction Company, about three miles out of town. Prof. Milligan sustained some severe cuts on the hands, and they were all badly shaken up, but no one seriously hurt.

Mrs. Effie Newman of Winchester was a visitor in West Union Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawler of Dayton have been visiting Mrs. Lawler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawler of Winchester, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lawler at West Union, a few days this week. They returned to their home Thursday afternoon.

Quite a number of people from DeWitt were here Thursday in attendance at the Hoop trial.

Mrs. A. W. Duvall of Cherry Fork is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lafferty, at his place.

Miss Kathryn Brodt has been employed to teach at Kinman, Clinton county. She teaches in a consolidated school, having charge of the fifth and sixth grades. Miss Brodt will reside in Wilmington and drive to her school. She left for Wilmington Thursday to take charge of her new position.

Mr. A. P. Adams of Sandy Springs spent Wednesday night in West Union, the guest of Miss Mary Foster.

## RARDEN

W. E. Riffe of Portsmouth was in town today on his way to Peoles to bidding for stock in the interest of a large shade plant being erected at Buena Vista. It is to be a hundred-ton capacity and is being erected by the Triangle Oil and By-Products Co. Robert Blevins and Sam Tammah of Portsmouth motored to Rarden in quest of cottonseed.

Howard Smith had his left hand badly lacerated by the fan of his car while in Portsmouth, where he had motored, taking A. H. McBride on a business trip from Rarden.

Virgil Penn of Beaver was calling on friends here and at Rarden and while here won 25 or 30 pounds of beef at a shooting match.

A. C. Christian, wife and Ethel Christian, his daughter-in-law, Graham Christian, wife and child, were

## GREENUP

Miss Edna Glass, of Argillite, left Thursday to accept a position as nurse in the Ashland General Hospital.

Hugh Irwin and wife, of Arizona, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Irwin, at Riverport.

Greenup shoppers at Portsmouth today were: Mrs. M. E. L. Wilson, Mrs. H. T. Morris, Mrs. E. L. Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Callahan.

Joseph Bates, county court clerk, moved his family from Wirtland to the Klein property in East Greenup Thursday.

## RARDEN

"The Convict," a thrilling drama written by Charles Townsend, will be produced at Red Men's Hall by Rarden talent on Saturday evening, December 31st. The cast contains eleven characters. The play is in five acts and consumes over two hours. This is a clean-cut drama, with many thrilling adventures, given for the benefit of Rarden baseball club, of which E. B. Waddle is business manager and W. V. Scott playing manager.

The cast of characters:

Tom Warren, "Convict"—Leroy Wicks.

Wesley Wiggins, his henchman—Hartzel Thompson.

James Barclay—Everett Newman.

Philip Warburton—Blanchard Scott.

Judge Van Crouger—Ogra Creech.

Walter Bunons—Robert Clark.

Jackson, the Negro—Orva Thompson.

Leah—Miss Lola Cornett.

Mrs. Van Crouger—Alice Maloney.

Miss Sedley—Miss Ida Clark.

Sally—Miss Henrietta Beckman.

## NEW BOSTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Everling of Ohio avenue entertained with a party Wednesday evening in honor of their son Harold's sixth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served to the following guests: Morris and Isabelle McGee, Ralph, Lucille, Garret and Olinda Lintz, Orville, Homer and Henrietta Harris, Sherman and Helen Bickert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lintz, Mrs. Thomas Bickert, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Siler, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Moore, Dorothy Lutz, Leslie, Howard and Gilbert Everling and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Everling.

Class No. 10 of the Christian church met Thursday evening at the home of East and Denver Morrison of Rhodes avenue. The regular business was transacted and games and music were enjoyed. Later in the evening refreshments were served to the following: Bessie Fitch, teacher, Walter Merriam, Frank McManis, Gilbert Maup, Harry Sanford, Lewis Martin, Frank Noble, Albert Ross, Carl McDowell, Herbert Busa, Sherman Morrison, Thomas Cook and Bert and Denver Morrison. The next meeting will be Tuesday, Dec. 6, at the home of Frank McManis of Rhodes avenue.

The Red Cross rooms on Ohio avenue were opened Friday afternoon for sewing. Four new garments were made and sixteen were mended. There is now a good number of workers as there is lots of work to do. Since these rooms have opened two hundred garments have been given out to the needy of New Boston by the Red Cross.

The Christmas committee of the Baptist church composed of Bessie Dwyer, Grace Henry, Geraldine Abrams, Carl Albright and Mrs. Clinton Rose met this afternoon to complete arrangements for the Christmas program to be given Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Everling and son Harold of Ohio avenue were six o'clock dinner guests last evening of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bickert of Rhodes avenue.

The Executive class of the Ohio Avenue Christian church met Thursday evening at the church and transacted their business. A good attendance of members were present.

Arl Fields of Blue Run was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. L. E. Robertson of Stanton arrived in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Charles Fitch and Mrs. Minnie Lewis of Stanton arrived in Portsmouth today.

Rev. E. H. Hille of the Stockdale church will preach tomorrow in the absence of Rev. P. E. Britton, who is holding meetings at Stockdale.

Miss Thelma Brazes of Stanton arrived in Portsmouth today.

Little Miss Ruth Stevens of Glassboro is spending the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Mac Perry of Gallia avenue.

Mrs. E. L. Robertson of Gallia avenue, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Mrs. P. E. Britton and sons, Charles and Cecil, are spending the week

end with Mr. Britton, who is holding revival meetings at Stockdale.

Mrs. Robert Keller of Ohio avenue was the dinner guest yesterday of Mrs. James Keller of Harrisville avenue.

Mrs. L. E. Robertson of Stanton arrived in Portsmouth last evening. Mrs. Charles Fitch and children, Minnie Lewis and Mrs. Dorothy Cooper of Covington, Ky.

Mrs. W. H. Brown is ill at her home on Gallia avenue.

Miss Linnie Payton of Hilly, O., is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Payton of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. George Lockbaum of Waverly, Mrs. C. F. Lockbaum of Blue street are guests Friday afternoon of Mrs. Martin Slaughter of Glenwood avenue.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Lockbaum and son Harold and Mrs. George Lockbaum were six o'clock dinner guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo McKinley of Grace street.

After a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wortman, returned to Baltimore, Md., Tuesday, where he is employed as brakeman for the D. & C.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Womeldorf and son, James, attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Mont Kite in Richmond Wednesday, who died with typhoid fever after several weeks illness.

Undertaker Smith Drummond and wife have moved from the rooms over Enterprise building to Columbus, O., where he will locate.

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Mrs. L. E. Robertson of Stanton arrived in Portsmouth last evening. Mrs. Charles Fitch and children, Minnie Lewis and Mrs. Dorothy Cooper of Covington, Ky.

Mrs. W. H. Brown is ill at her home on Gallia avenue.

Miss Linnie Payton of Hilly, O., is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Payton of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. George Lockbaum of Waverly, Mrs. C. F. Lockbaum of Blue street are guests Friday afternoon of Mrs. Martin Slaughter of Glenwood avenue.

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# HIGH SCHOOL PLAY SCORES BIG HIT; WILL BE REPEATED TONIGHT; CHANGES IN CAST

"Nothing But the Truth," the play presented by the newly organized dramatic club of the high school last night was the best play of its kind seen in the city for a long time, and it will rank high among all the plays that have been offered by high school students.

The play comedy was well received by the audience which was not as large as the play deserved. The Revellers worked unflinchingly in getting the play ready, and it is hoped that their future offerings will receive the support they merit, for the play last night was far above the average. The ticket sale, however, was larger for tonight's performance, and the house will be well filled when the performance begins. There are several good seats left, and they will be on sale at the high school tonight.

Every member of the cast displayed exceptional dramatic ability in taking their respective parts last night, and the play was well directed and well staged.

Arthur Rosenthal, as Bob Bennett, the man who told the truth for a day, and resolves never to do so again, was great in his impersonation of the worried young man, beset on every hand by questions that must be answered with the absolute truth, and from which there was no escape.

Spencer Schwartz is entitled to much praise for the manner in which he presented the difficult characterization of E. M. Ralston, the elderly broker, who believes that lying is one of the foundation stones of business.

Kenneth Schloss as Bishop Doran looked and acted the part to perfection. Charles Hall as Dick Donnelly and Richard Maddock as Clarence Van Dusen, partners of E. M. Ralston were very good and caused much merriment by the many humorous questions they asked Bob Bennett.

Page Geer, as Ethel Clark, made a fine spoiled daughter of the rich Mr. Clark, and her crying, when Bob insults her by saying he doesn't like her, her dress, and her voice, was the hit of the show. She just cried and cried, even the audience felt sorry for her and was ready to condemn Bob for his harsh words.

Oleta Albertson, cast in the role of Mabel, the chorus girl, brought down the house with her clever acting, and her catchy lines. Miss Albertson gave one of the best impersonations seen in a high school play in this city, and her acting won much applause.

Miss Mabel Hood did some clever acting in her part as Sabel, another chorus girl. The parts taken by Miss Hood and Miss Albertson were the hits of the evening and added pep and excitement to the play, and a little sensation in the peaceful home life of the Ralstons.

Miss Gladys Selby as Mrs. Ralston, and her daughter, Gwen, impersonated by Miss Mabel Wilson, showed real dramatic ability and were right at home in their respective parts.

CAST OF CHARACTERS:

Bob Bennett ..... Arthur Rosenthal

E. M. Ralston ..... Spencer Schwartz

Bishop Doran ..... Kenneth Schloss

Clarence Van Dusen ..... Richard Maddock

Dick Donnelly ..... Charles Hall

Gwen Ralston ..... Mabel Wilson

Mrs. Ralston ..... Gladys Selby

Ethel Clark ..... Page Geer

Mabel, maid ..... Oleta Albertson

Gertrude, maid ..... Gertrude Hood

Martin, maid ..... Dorothy Freund

The plot of "Nothing But the Truth" is unique, and the comedy has had successful runs in large cities. The play is full of funny situations and has a thrilling climax, as the clock strikes four, in the last act.

Act I.—Next day. Living room Mr. Ralston's home.

Act II.—Same as Act I.

Bob Bennett and Dick Donnelly are discussing the stock market at the rising of the curtain. They are in the office of E. M. Ralston, with whom they are associated in business.

Ralston joins the conversation and an argument ensues as to the association of business and truth. Bob resolves to sell only stocks in which he believes, and Ralston has several thousand dollars invested in worthless securities. By misrepresentation he sells much of this stock, but leaves a sale of twenty thousand dollars' worth to Mr. Clark, handling it.

Mr. Ralston's daughter, Gwen, treasurer for a fund which is being solicited by the Bishop Doran, has ten thousand dollars. Her father has offered to double everything she secures, in excess of \$20,000. She leaves the ten thousand with Bob, who is in love with her, and asks him to double it. She insists that he must. Mabel and Sabel, the chorus girls, visit the office, and try to get an invitation for dinner from one of the men, and Van Dusen is forced to foot the bill. There is more discussion of the necessity of a lie in business. Bob takes a desperate chance, and bets the ten thousand he has in trust, that he can tell the absolute truth for 24 hours. Ralston, Dick and Van Dusen share in the bet, and resolve to make Bob lose. The clock strikes "four."

This begins a terrible twenty-four hours for Bob during which he plunges into numerous difficulties, and pulls some of the others in with him.

Bob gets in bad right away in the second act, when he tells the truth to Ethel Clark. Mabel and Sabel visit the Ralston home and Mrs. Ralston hears that her husband has been taking them out to lunch. He claims he doesn't know them, but Bob, as it is his truthful day, tells Mrs. Ralston that her husband has met them in his office. The three men who have their money at stake against Bob's, try to trick him into lying but fail, and before the day is done they try to get him to call off the bet, and he refuses. A dozen other incidents arise where Bob and his truthful tongue cause trouble and throw the whole party in to turmoil, and his enemies finally get him where they want him when they persuade Gwen to ask him what he has done with her ten thousand dollars. They believe they have him but he says he has made a condition that the bet should not be spoken of by any of them. Gwen asks him and he

delays his answer until he hears the clock strike "four" thus telling him that his day is ended. Then when Gwen repeats her question, "What did you do with my money?" he is with a look of triumph in the direction of his tormentors, replies, "I won!" Then Bob, released from his bondage, lies gloriously and the blue bird of happiness again flies over the household. The high school orchestra furnished the music for the evening.

Mrs. H. H. Eccles directed the play through the weeks of practice, and worked patiently with the students, perfecting the play in all of its many details. The delightful comedy was a success from curtain to curtain and to her is due the credit for the formation of the dramatic club, and the presenting of its first play, which surpassed anything of its kind given at the school for a long time.

The play will be repeated tonight with the following cast:

Bob ..... Fred Pyle

Gwen ..... Ruth Millard

Dick ..... Charles Hall

Van ..... Virgil Penn

Ralston ..... Howard Harris

Bishop ..... Howard Harris

Ethel ..... Bertha Louise Schick

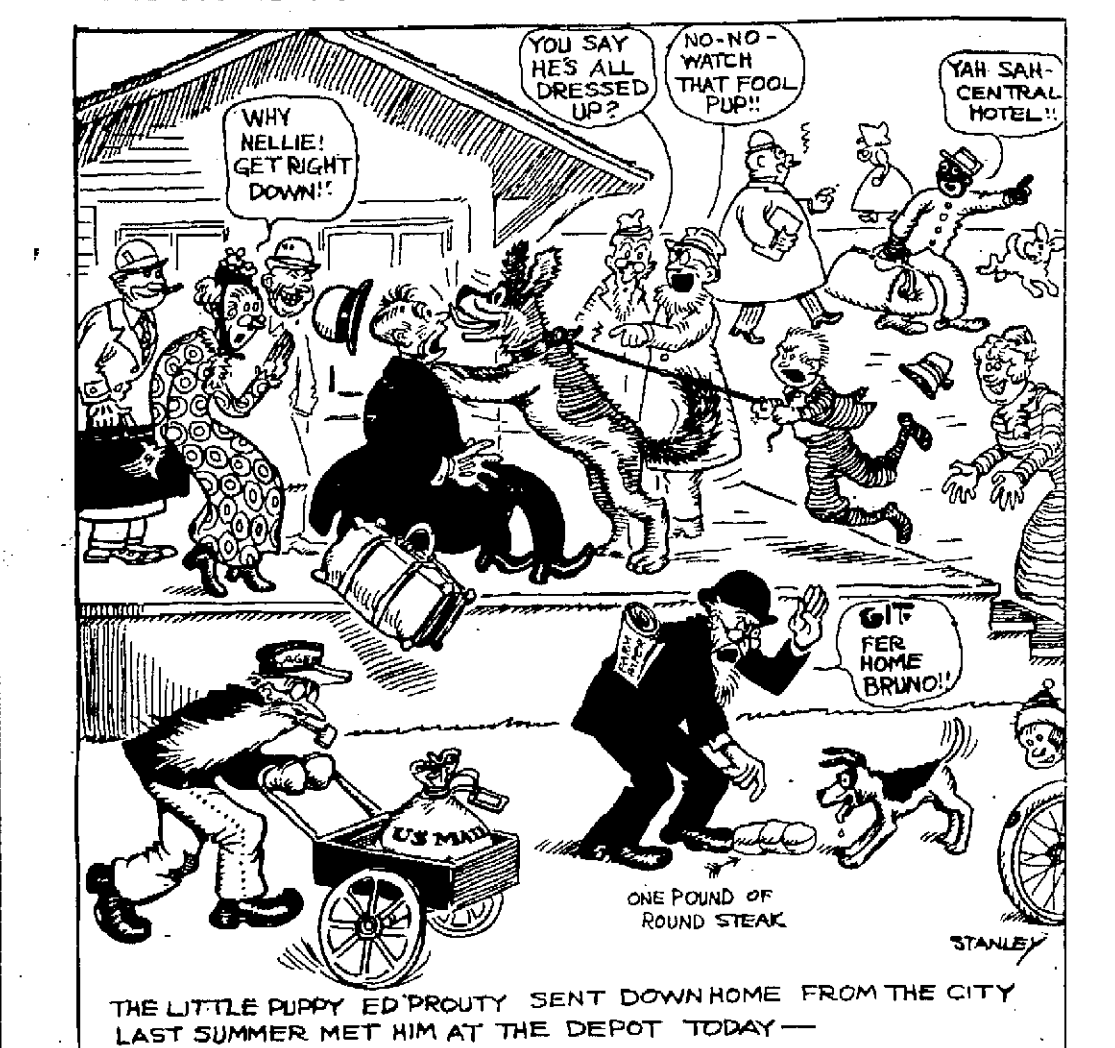
Mrs. Ralston ..... Eva Morgan

Mabel ..... Dorothy Freund

Sabel ..... Dorothy Freund

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



## Camp Sherman To Be Known As Vocational Training School No. 1

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 2.—Camp Sherman, known to thousands of Ohio's young men as training for world war service, has passed into history. Future designation of the vast encampment will be "vocational training school No. 1."

Beginning Monday 200 disabled service men will start to rebuild their careers by studying one of a number of offered vocations which later will enable them to obtain employment.

The first 300 student soldiers, arrived at the school yesterday and were welcomed by Colonel C. R. Forbes, of the veterans' bureau, Colonel C. J. Sammons, president of the school, and Charles L. Darlington, state commandant of the American Legion.

In addition to academic courses of various kinds the following vocational subjects will be offered:

Carpentry, plumbing, auto mechanics, steamfitting, upholstering, cabinet-making, laundrying, pattern-making, farming, horticulture, electrical work, baking, cooking and sheet metal work.

Discipline to be maintained will be similar to that at any university. It was said. From a government allowance of \$100 a month, students will be compelled to pay \$30 a month for board and \$5 a month for lodging.

Within a short time, 5,000 students are expected to be enrolled in the school, according to Colonel Forbes.

## Negotiations On Question Of Naval Ratio Takes Optimistic Aspect

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—With latest developments in negotiations on the question of naval ratio for Japan resuming by delegation spokesmen as justifying optimism, although their

nature was a closely guarded secret, the whole matter was expected to remain at a standstill today while Baron Kato communicated further on the situation with Tokio.

In resuming discussion of the question of withdrawing foreign troops stationed in China, there was some probability that the Far Eastern committee today would adopt a broadly drawn declaration of general policy on that, request of the schedule. The joint conference of the Japanese and Chinese delegates, which at yesterday's meeting proceeded at once to an exchange of views on the question of control of the



# STRONG WELLSTON TEAM HERE SUNDAY

## Will Meet Smokehouse Eleven In Millbrook Park At 2 P. M.

Final arrangements are complete for the Wellston-Smokehouse game in Millbrook Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Indications are that this game will attract more than 1,000 fans as it will be one of the classic games of the season.

Wellston held the Tanks to a scoreless tie last Sunday and will come here Sunday prepared to defeat the Blue and White team by a decisive score. They may be fooled, but there is no doubt they are coming prepared to put up the battle of their young lives.

Manager Hughes of the Coal Barons says word that his team practiced every night this week and is in top shape. Frankly speaking fans, this is one game you must not pass up.

Wellston always has a well-balanced fighting piece of football machinery and the team to be brought here actually scored a touchdown against the Tanks last Sunday in Tanktown, but were robbed out of it.

Play will start sharply at 2 o'clock, owing to darkness falling over the field at an early hour.

The Smokehouse will present Phillips, Pearce, Gardner, Englebrecht, Ackord, Prior, McLaughlin and Sander on the line, Montgomery and Taylor at quarter and A. C. Chin, Devoe, Adams and Quinn in the backfield.

This is a real team and will give Wellston a genuine argument. Remember Millbrook is the spot and the whistle will blow at 2 o'clock.

### VOLLEY BALL

#### BUCKEYE LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Strollers	22	7	.759
Cleavers	19	7	.731
Burroughs	14	13	.519
Monroe Six	12	12	.500
N. & W.	10	17	.370
Underwoods	7	17	.292
Seventy Six	4	17	.190

#### Games Today

Underwoods vs. Seventy Six at three o'clock; Strollers vs. Burroughs at four o'clock; Underwoods vs. Monroe Six at five o'clock.

#### PORTSMOUTH LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
High School Faculty	31	5	.861
First Presbyterian	23	7	.767
Christian Colts	25	14	.641
Trinity Cubs	27	17	.612
Bakers	21	15	.583
United Brethren	11	25	.306
Ministers	11	25	.306
Court House	9	27	.250

The Bakers won three straight games from the United Brethren team in the Portsmouth league last night, the scores being 21-0, 21-13, 21-0. Marion Prosch was easily the star of the game, being all over the floor on the B. side of the net. Brown and Hopkins starred for the Bakers. Ernie Schusky made his debut in the volleyball game. Give him a little more practice and he will be the star of the Portsmouth league. The lineup:

Bakers: Brunny, Uhl, Erfarth, Hopkins, McNamara.  
United Brethren: Schusky, Canfield, Reinhardt, Weinberg, Southworth and Prosch.

#### PEERLESS LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Selly Culls	20	16	.556
Christian Vets	20	16	.556
Phi Psi	23	10	.698
Bigelow	23	10	.698
Selects	21	21	.500
Selly Vets	22	26	.458
Selly Leaders	17	28	.378
Trinity Vets	12	27	.308

#### Games Today

Phi Psi vs. Selly Leaders at three o'clock; Trinity Vets at four o'clock.

Selly Vets dropped still further in the league standing yesterday, losing three straight games to the Bigelow team, 21-0, 21-6, 21-13. The first two games were easy meat for the Bigelow boys but the Vets gave them a harder fight in the final contest. Butler and Higgins starred for Bigelow while Donohoe and Ladd placed stellar games for the Vets. The lineup:

Bigelow—Kiggins, Underwood, Frazier, Egbert, Butler, Ricker.  
Selly Vets—Donohoe, Weinbrenner, Ladd, Hauke, Lorey.

The Selly Culls increased their lead in the league yesterday by coping all three engagements with the Selects, 21-12, 21-16, 21-0. The Selects seemed unable to get started and did not play their usual consistent brand of ball. Hook and Baesman were the stars for their respective teams. The Culls played fine ball all the way through. The lineup:

Selly Culls: Griffin, Hook, Font, Grah, R. Selly, Freeman.  
Selects: Baesman, Kendall, Doll, Bryant, Barber, Ruggles.

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## Well Look Who Is Here



DEWEY ADAMS

This agile, fleet-footed lad has been a tower of strength to the Blue and White team this season. He is in every play and knows the game from the proverbial A to Z. He will alternate with Capt. Chin at fullback Sunday against Wellston and watch his smoke as he plunges through the beefy line of his opponents.

## American League Clubs Need New Material

It wouldn't be at all surprising if some big trades were put over at the coming meeting of the American League. Every club in the Johnsonian organization is in the field for material. Not a club is content to stand pat on its lineup of last season.

The St. Louis Browns could use a star second baseman in advantage. "The boss of Godden killed the Browns' chances. McManus, on his fall showing, has a chance to come through. Pitchers could also be used.

Condie Mack says he is satisfied with only Second Baseman Jimmy Dykes, and his catcher, Ralph Perkins. He says he must rebuild the rest of his club.

Clarke Griffith, at Washington, must have a shortstop if he is to get anywhere. No ball club can get along without a shortstop. That is the plight at Washington.

New York it seems must have pitching strength. A star outfielder would also help.

Boston needs only a little bolstering here and there to make it a mighty good ball club. The outfield is its weakest point.

Detroit unless it gets a shortstop and second baseman is going to have a rocky road. No ball club can hope for success without good men at those positions. It is possible Pop Young may do a come-back and fill the bill at second.

Chicago needs more pitching. Kerr and Fisher can't carry the entire load. Another pitcher would help. The outfield also could stand some changes.

Cleveland was a strong contender last year, but it is understood that Speaker has a number of changes that he may put through before the opening of the season.

### Fans Look For Best Game Of The Season

When the Smoke House team trots out on the Millbrook turf tomorrow it will be in the best shape of the season. The boys have worked faithfully this week and are on their toes. They realize Wellston is a sturdy, line-

pounding team, but that is not going to stop them. Oh dear, no. Fans, by all means see this battle or you will regret. Indications are that the weather will be ideal for the oval game.

### In Line For Pee Pee Championship

The Waverly H. S. football team has closed a successful season by defeating the Kappa Beta Delta fraternity of Jackson by the score of 14-0. The Jackson outfit was played off its feet, and the heavy line plunging and tricky plays of the locals enabled them to win. Captain Frances Andre pulled a pretty quarterback sneak which was good for fifty yards and a touchdown. The local boys have certainly played good football this season, having won the last five games, and much of this credit should go to their coach, Howard Middleton, who has worked hard in building up the team from a bunch of raw recruits. If Mr. Middleton is with us again next year, he will have a team that will easily cop the championship of Southern Ohio—Waverly Republican Herald.

Another pipe dream for a writer who probably meant championship of Pee Pee township.

### Few Flickers From Lightless Ironton

(Ironton Register) Wonder if Portsmouth has received Wellston's eligible list.

Wellston's gotta win from Portsmouth by three or more touchdowns to make their claim to a touchdown at Ironton even savor of validity.

Player Thomas of the Portsmouth Smoke House football team, is in the city visiting relatives and the argument as to "who won the war at Millbrook" goes merrily on.

Wheelerburg is in Seato county. A short distance west by southwest from

## Rumor Has It Matty Is In Bad Shape

According to the latest report, Christy Mathewson has had another relapse and his condition is very serious.

During the summer Mathewson appeared to be on the way to a permanent recovery.

After a long struggle covering a period of nearly two years, he had gained strength to such an extent that he was permitted to take a daily ride in his auto.

Recently the fans of New York rendered a testimonial benefit to Mathewson which produced a fund of over \$30,000.

At that time Mathewson sent word that he hoped to be back home within a year.

Word comes from Syracuse Lake that the relapse, attended by high fever, came recently.

## There Illinois; Take That Slap

COLUMBUS, O., December 3.—For all Illinois topped Ohio State from a probable tie for Big Ten football honors, the Buckeyes in turn during the season just closed ousted the Illini from first place in the conference in the matter of games won and lost for the last nine years, thereby spoiling Bob Zapple's record.

His teams engaged in 47 conference games, winning 29, losing 13, and being tied. His percentage is .680. In the same period, after a much less auspicious start, Coach Jack Wiley's eleven have 25 of 36 contests, with one tie—with Illinois. Incidentally, The Ohio State percentage is .714.

Each institution has won three championships in football during that time, while Illinois has tied one.

## Detroit And W. & J. Battle

DETROIT, MICH., December 3.—Football teams of the University of Detroit and Washington and Jefferson went into a post-season contest here today, each prepared for a desperate battle to keep its record clean for the year. Neither team has been defeated and only one "Dahne" has been able to score upon Detroit.

The strongest line-up that could be mustered by either team was slated to start the game and both coaches had ample reserves to continue at near the maximum strength throughout the game.

SELECT CAPTAIN  
PITTSBURGH, PA., December 3.—Tommy Holleran, quarterback, was elected captain of the 1922 University of Pittsburgh football team here last night.

Earnest Money.  
Any sum of money paid on account to show the good faith of the buyer is known as an earnest, and is a payment recognized by English law. Typical of this is the king's shilling formerly given to soldiers on enlistment, and the similar coin given to servants in Scotland.

Coach George M. Trautman exhorted his hopefuls upon their return from the Thanksgiving vacation. "There'll be no more 'hit or miss' basketball in the Ohio State camp."

Will Keep The Game Moving Along  
Officials for the Smoke House-Wellston game in Millbrook Sunday afternoon will be:

Referee..... Mansfield  
Umpire..... Hanley  
Head Linesman..... Burkhardt  
These are capable officials and the game will be played accurately and speedily.

Garlic is being used as a treatment for the cure of tuberculosis.

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## South Webster Team Wins From Otway

South Webster basketball teams, both boys and girls, were victorious in games played at Otway last night.

The South Webster second team defeated the Otway first team by a score of 33 to 8. Kallenbach and Stogewer starred for the winners while Davis starred for Otway making all their points on four field goals.

The girls' team won by a score of 15 to 14 only after a hard fought overtime contest. The score was tied at the end of the regular period of play and the referee ordered five minutes overtime played in which South Webster scored.

In games played recently on the South Webster floor the home boys won 28 to 9 and the girls 14 to 3. The lineups in the boys game were:

South Webster—Kallenbach, Stogewer, Davis, M. R. f. f. two field goals; Craden c.; Smith, l. g.; Wilby r. g.

The lineup for the girls game was: South Webster—M. R. f. f. two field goals and five fouls; E. Potts, center; M. Kallenbach, second center; E. Bauer, l. g.; M. Perry r. g.

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## CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Masons	13	8	.619
North End	12	8	.600
Play House	12	9	.577
Pompano	11	10	.524
Invincibles	11	10	.524
Crystal Palace	10	11	.476
Scratchers	8	14	.357
Selects	6	15	.280

### Games Next Week

Thursday—Pompano vs. Scratchers, on 2 and 3; Play House vs. Invincibles, on 4 and 5.  
Friday—Crystal Palace vs. North End, on 2 and 3; Selects vs. Masons, on 4 and 5.

The Scratchers won two out of three from the leading Masons last night. There was some mistake in the adding of the Mason scores in the second game and the Masons left last night under the impression that they had won. The correct score which Byron Prediger, manager of the alleys, total after the games were finished, is 802, and the Scratchers made 811 in that game.

Reinhardt rolled the best games of the evening and his final score was 577. Williams piled up a total of 531, and fought with 516 and Parton with 502 were close behind the leaders.

Scratchers

Higgins	158	129	178	465
Seyfried	146	133	149	428
Williams	151	168	182	501
Jackson	130	169	175	474
Faucht	156	192	198	546
Totals	780	811	843	2434

Crystal Palace

Benjamin	117	124	156	397
Lewis	194	150	141	485
Doll	112	111	128	351
Aldrich	147	104	101	472
Prediger	188	176	191	555
Totals	759	765	777	2301

Play House

Pester	153	208	147	508
Nardl	151	171	141	463
Maze	156	133	128	417



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## BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

THE announcement of the appointment of committees of business men to promote the sale of Christmas Anti-Tuberculosis seals means that this year Scioto county has awakened to the full meaning of the great and successful effort being put forth to resist the encroachments of the most dreaded of diseases, tuberculosis. The fight is thoroughly systematized, being directed from a state headquarters at Columbus, subordinate to which are effective organizations in each county. The great campaign is financed solely by means of the sale of Christmas Seals. The great bulk of the money derived from the sale of Seals in each county, remains in that county and is devoted to the needs of that county. Fresh air camps are established both for children and grown-ups, medical aid is given, and efforts made to stay progress of the disease by the bettering of sanitary conditions. There is no big, expensive organization, as in some instances, but the effort is made to accomplish the most good with a minimum of overhead expense.

There is no cause to which people should more willingly and cheerfully lend their aid and encouragement than to this anti-tuberculosis crusade. It carries an appeal to every home, for tuberculosis is no respecter of persons, and the success of the battle against the disease is a matter that should concern every citizen.

In the sale of Christmas Seals, a way is provided for every individual to help. If you only buy one Seal, and use it on one of your letters or your packages, you will be doing something to aid. Each and every one should help, and help liberally.

Buy the Seals, and use them on your mail.

## SUSTAINS PRIVATE INTERPRETATION

IT is quite a common thing for individual Americans to regard the law as not applying to themselves. It is a view notoriously denounced by those who happen to favor some statute that they view as particularly approvable because it regulates the other fellow, but it has excellent warrant nevertheless, nothing less authoritative than the courts themselves, which often hold that the law is merely directory and not mandatory.

Take a case, for instance, decided by the appellate court of Cuyahoga county, only this week. At the last election a vote resulted in a tie between a Socialist candidate for alderman and his regular party opponent, this situation being brought about by the judges of the election, who following the simple and absolutely clear provision of the statute, refused to count one ballot for the opponent of the Socialist, as it was marked with ink. Action was brought to compel the counting of this particular ballot and the court of appeals so ordered, thus defeating the Socialist. Law could not be made simpler or plainer, yet the tribunal says it does not mean what it says and the individual can disregard it, if he so chooses.

The decision does not seem to be a sound interpretation, it is actually against public policy, because it suggests a way by which a law can be kept on the books, but as to whether or not he "delivers the goods."

Now if the courts can say a law isn't a law, why can't the individual just as well say the law wasn't made to fit him?

## A POINT NOT CONSIDERED

WHEN voting so overwhelmingly for the soldiers' bonus it is doubtful if as many as one elector out of a thousand had any other thought than that he was favoring recognition and a small return for the service men now living.

The bonus goes further than that in distribution. It is based on the broad principle that with those who served honorably there shall be no failure to recognize, either alive or dead, and so, in the case of those who died after being enrolled and in the service, the bonus will be paid to their heirs, or next of kin.

No fault is to be found with this provision. True enough there will be many cases where the life of the dead soldier never touched the existence of those who will now press eagerly forward to claim the little stipend that would have been his portion, had he survived, but such seeming faultlines will ever appear in any human arrangement on a vast scale, and in this instance they will be more than counterbalanced by the fact that the mothers, wives and dependents of the dead are in grievous need of aid.

## MOVING TOWARDS A PREMIUM

WHILE many stocks showed a dull and downward tendency, this week, dealing in government bonds was lively, with prices making strong jumps.

Every issue showed decided gains and two of the victory series reached par.

This may be taken as one of the surest indications that conditions are moving to a more substantial basis. It indicates a decline in speculation and a turning back towards sound business principles. Investors have about got their gins of stocks that were exploited for fabulous returns and are placing their money with an eye to the certainty of returns and no losses rather than to big and doubtful profits.

With a revival of business, that this condition pressures, and money holding easy government bonds will not only soon go to par, but will before a great while be commanding a premium.

Those posing as financiers and statesmen are still filled with alarm over world conditions and can see nothing but utter smash unless their panics are followed, but too much stress should not be placed on their doleful warnings. When the world goes back to work matters will surely, though it may be but gradually, right themselves in the ordinary way that they have followed ever since there was organized society.

## New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 3.—Many of New York's most famous stage beauties were recruited from the army of graceful mannequins who strut in the gilded Fifth Avenue dress making salons.

Dolores was an English girl who came to America as a model and her ability successfully to display fine gowns resulted in her becoming one of the best known and highly paid show girls.

There is a laughable grace about the mannequin. Most of them are exquisitely tall and supple with undulating walks. When the groups of customers arrive the mannequin appears from behind velvet curtains and moves slowly from one end of the salon to the other, with head poised like some long-plumed bird.

She steps slowly to each group, a marvel of indolence and bored nonchalance. She may awaken in the morning in the drub of an East Side hall bed room but when she reaches her work she lives the elegance of a French Marquise in a Plumerie play.

There are a few who are paid \$100 a week but the average salary is \$20. They are sought for luncheon and dinner companies with as much eagerness as the reigning beauties of the chorus.

At the luncheon hour one may see the mannequins in the restaurants of the shopping district. They have about them a mysterious assurance and people wonder if they are famous actresses, society women or debutantes. When they appear jeweled women straighten their backs with interest. Fans adjust their monoches. For these girls by the nature of their calling have learned the art of dressing and know the latest and smartest fashions a few hours after they have cleared cus-

tomers from the hands of the Parisian artist-couturier.

Ten writers of mystery fiction had dinner the other night at Browne's chop house on Broadway. All are former newspapermen, but not one had ever covered police headquarters or murder trials. Indeed two were formerly society editors. The ingredients of mystery rarely vary—a deserted house, and some pine trees, a mournful wind, a feud, a triangle, a shot in the night, a woman in black, a clogging cry and odd footprints—then send for the strange type of detective. Mystery writers are story tellers, nothing more. They leave philosophy and the cosmic snarl to others. Yet they are writers of best sellers and most of them are well fixed financially.

## Something On Geo. McManus



By ENRICH BRANDEIS

A prosperous looking gentleman walked into the dining room of the Hotel Astor, quietly sat down at one of the tables by the window and ordered luncheon. He opened the comic page of the New York American and became deeply engrossed in the cartoon.

"Who is that fellow?" asked one of the men at the next table, where several theatrical and literary stars were assembled. "His face is familiar and yet I can't place him."

Suddenly Wilton Lathrop, the actor, arose.

"I'll bet that's George McManus, plus a mustache. I'll go and ask him."

"Pardon me, am I speaking to Mr. McManus?" he inquired as he stepped over to the distinguished stranger's table.

And even before the question was answered, he knew that he was right, for the old, staid, smiling "Brazing Up Father."

"You certainly are!" McManus laughed. "I just wanted to see whether I could find you here."

And presently he told his friends, when he joined the story of his newly acquired mustache. The many years he had been an admirer of George McManus and never saw a picture of him.

When they were together, these two would have a reunion and talk about old times.

So when Fairbanks grew his mustache for the "Three Musketeers," the least McManus thought he could do for his friend was to grow one too.

He obtained Mrs. McManus' permission and went out west pending developments and visited his old friend, Late Young, publisher of The Des Moines Capital. Soon the mustache began to sprout and with proper care and culture, it grew into that artistic bit of adornment which is shown in the accompanying picture.

McManus is proud of his mustache. Mrs. McManus is also proud of it and so are all the other newspaper folk of New York.

He promises, unconditionally, however, that in spite of his fondness for mustaches, he will continue to show his bare face to the public, since Maggie would never consent to the change.

Can Pay Too High for Peace.

We have peace as we adore peace, but not peace at any price. There is a peace that is more destructive of the mind of living than the war is destructive of the material body. There are worse than bayonets—domestic ferocity.



Sometimes Dreaming

(Kansas City Star)  
Sometimes when I am dreaming,  
I see it all again:  
The sky a bow of burning gold  
Turned over the jade green plain.  
I hear the glad wind send me,  
Over fields all golden ripe,  
A thrilling note of beauty  
From out his silver pipe.

I see the gates of morning  
Swing wide to let the day  
Come in her shimmering beauty  
Across the dew bright way.  
I see the moon time glory  
Veiled sunset lands afar—  
Night brings her troops of shadows;  
The first bright pulsing star.

I see the dark sky garden  
A fragrant flower disclose  
Of white and glistening petals  
Fairer than any rose.  
It makes of all the dusk hour  
A white and mystic June—  
Old earth bends knees to worship  
The white bright summer moon.

Such visions when I'm dreaming  
Unfold in moving light:  
Dream pictures of the day time,  
Dream pictures of the night.

Then He'll Learn  
"Did your son learn anything in college?" Apparently not. Now he wants to get married.

## Elbe Martin



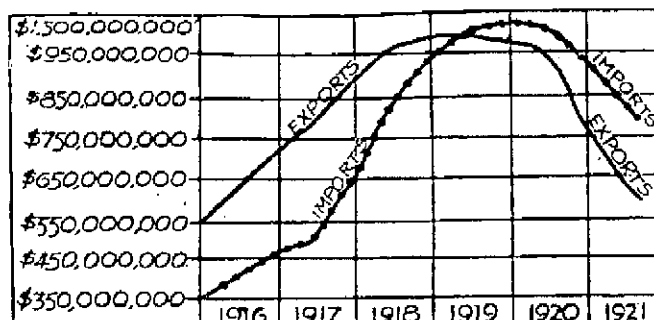
"I do time bartender used to ask whether we wanted eye or Lounion. But 'day's hoodlum' simply asks 'white or red?' After looking for trouble for several weeks Joe Moon grew dependent, 'day, an' made a keg of thimber wine."

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## THAT GUILTLESS FEELING—BY BRIGGS



## Japan Losing World Trade



This chart shows Japan's exports (Japanese yen at par. Imports since and imports from 1915 to October, 1918 have exceeded exports, leaving 1921, in American money, taking the Japan in the hole.

## Pull His Tail—Up He Goes!



Fuming engines are out at the Spanish court riding school in Vienna. Here you see Herold, the chief rider, pulling a steed's tail. That's the signal for the horse to stand on his hind legs.

Not That Kind  
Jeweler—This bracelet is \$5 more than the other on account of the clasp.  
Customer—Oh, but you won't have to chase me, I intend to pay cash down.

A Modest Violet  
"The trouble with you is you cannot recognize your limitations," angrily declared the Friend.  
"Of course I cannot recognize what I never have had," calmly replied the Egotist.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO



NO, SIR, I HAVE ALL THE INSURANCE I CAN AFFORD TO CARRY.

BUT, MR. TRUE, THIS POLICY WE ARE OFFERING NOW IS—

I HAVE A POLICY, TOO, AND IT IS TO THE EFFECT THAT WHEN AN INSISTENT BIRD LIKE YOU WON'T TAKE "NO" FOR AN ANSWER THEN HE'LL HAVE TO TAKE WHATEVER I CAN FIND LYING AROUND LOOSE!!!

BY CLIFF STERRETT



## POLLY AND HER PALS

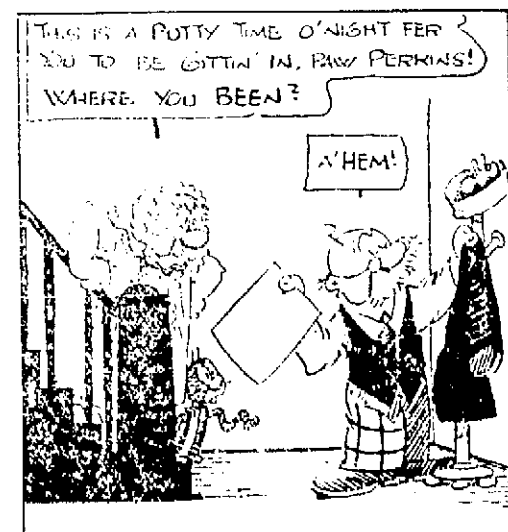


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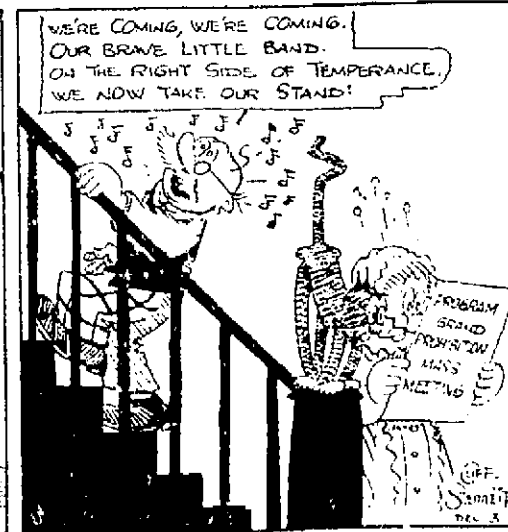
## Pa Has A Perfectly Good Alibi



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